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On our Cover: Being a student at Ashbury College is about having CHOICES. We are presented with a phenomenal number of opportunities relating to academics, co-curricular and community activities. These choices are reflected in the words on the back of this year's yearbook as we wanted to show our appreciation for the commitment and dedication of our leaders in providing us with these learning opportunities.

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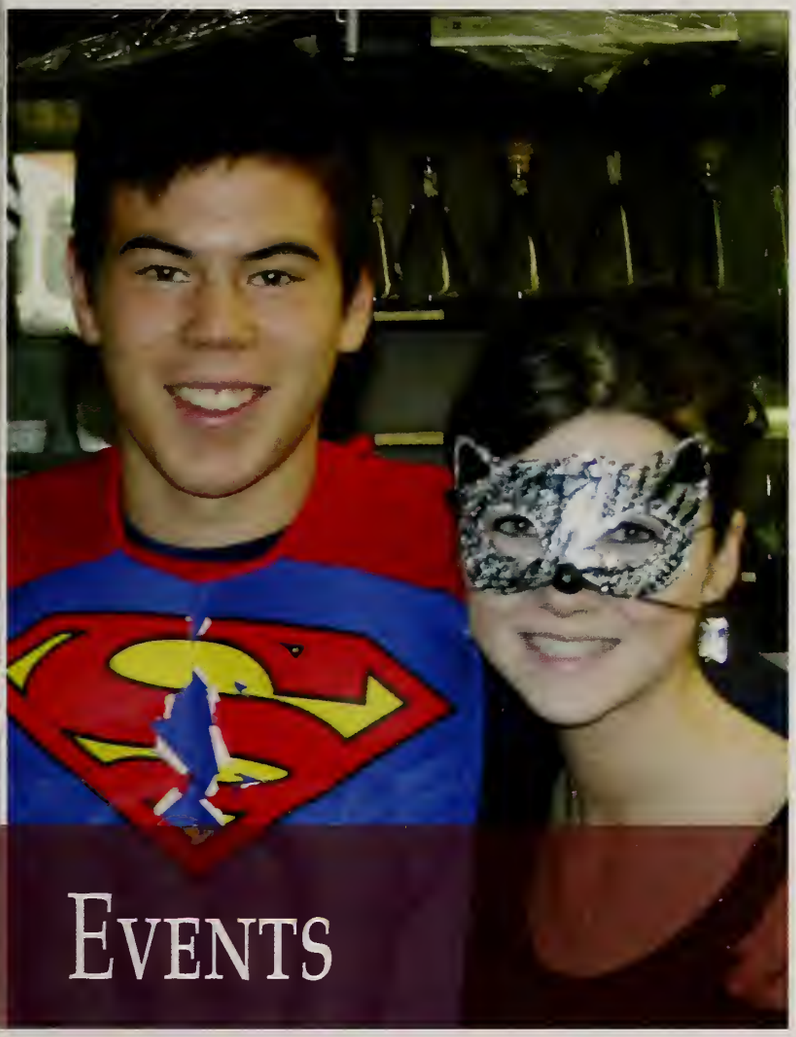

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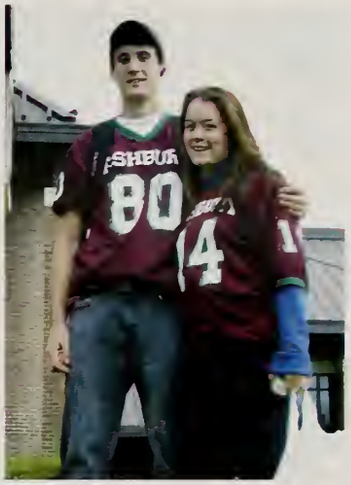

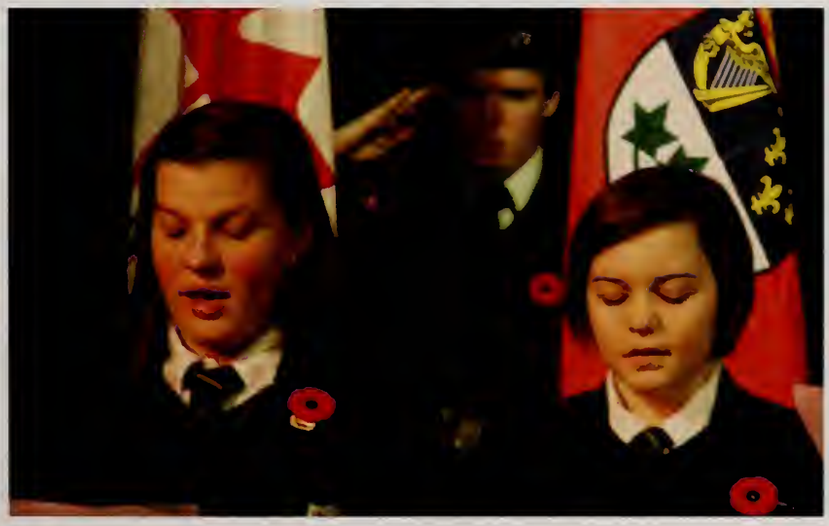

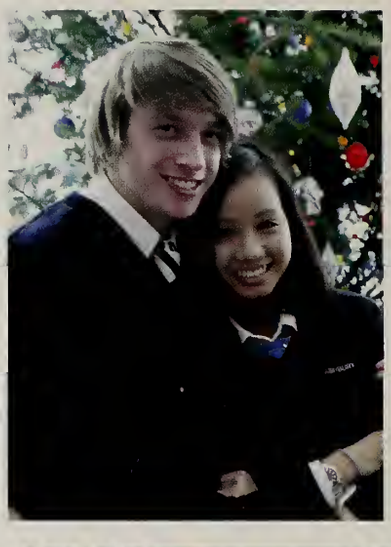

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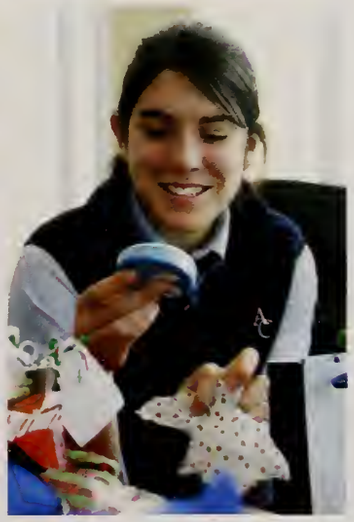

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ART PLAY
Making Mistakes Encouraged
Not knowing what you are doing a pre-requisite
Taking Risks Essential
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Becoming useful with your hands a boons
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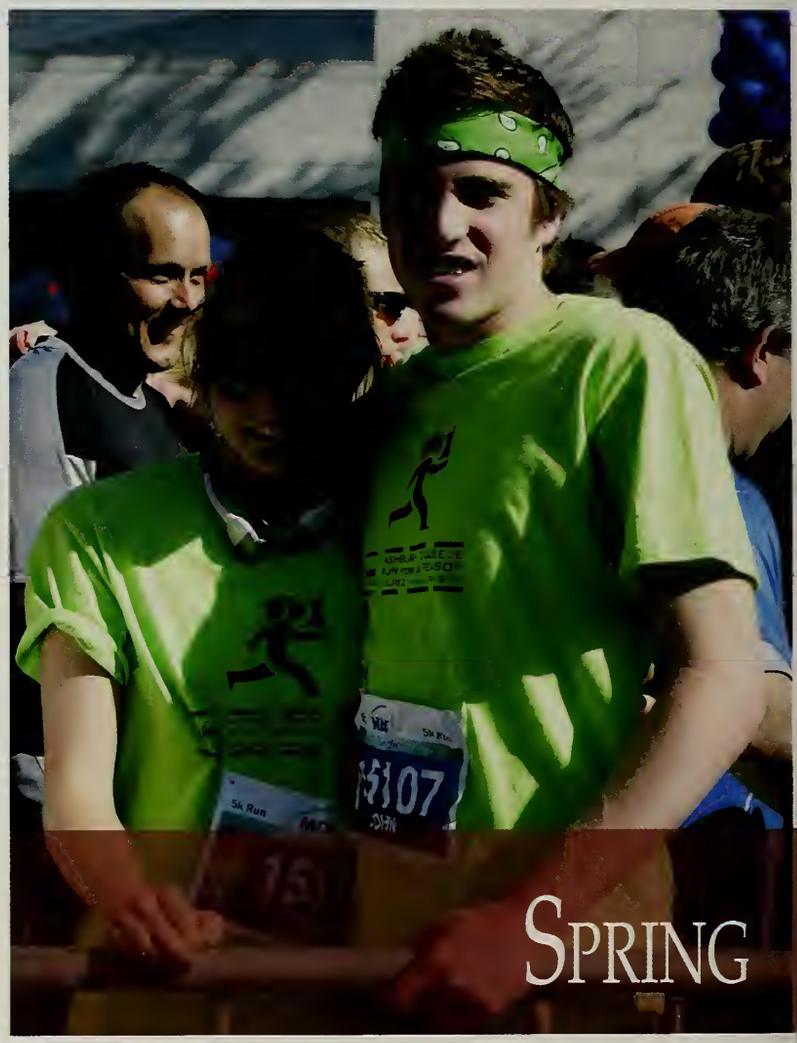
Beauty is abundant
Friday April 17th 6PM - 9PM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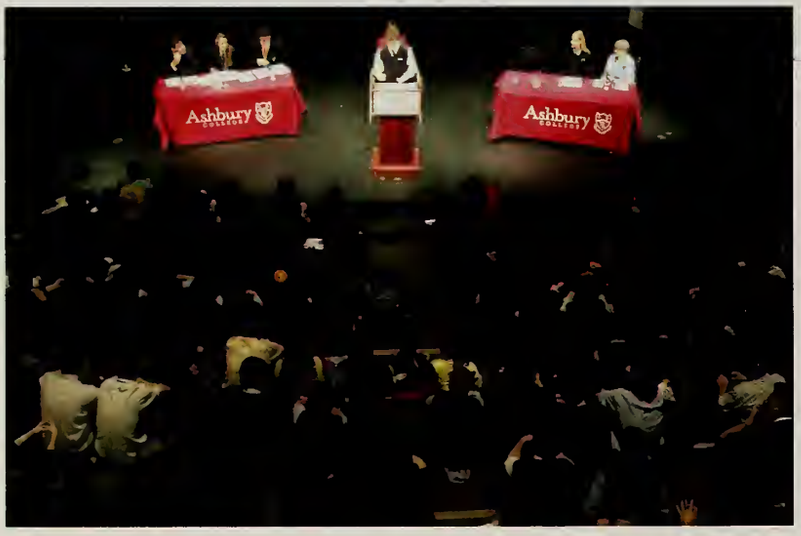
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EVENTS

Academic Awards

ENGLISH – Academic Proficiency
Grade 9- Molly Benjaminson & Leo Kadota
Grade 10- Salena Cui
Grade 11– The Robert G. Moore Memorial Prize- Emma Benjaminson
Grade 12 - The George Drew Memorial Prize-Sarah Corkery
Grade 12 – English – The Writer's Craft-Alex Griffith
IB – The Drummond Lister Award-Alex Griffith
First Year English as a Second Language-Anna Kramer
Final Year English as a Second Language-Min-Ji Shin

INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGES – Academic Proficiency
Grade 9 – Core-Anusha Kalaichevlan
Grade 9 – Extended-Ethan Sanders
Grade 9 – Immersion- Adil Abdulla
Grade 10 – The Jobling Memorial Prize (Core)-Haakon Vatne
Grade 10 – Extended-Salena Cui
Grade 10 – Immersion-Philip Haché
Grade 11 – Core-Emma Benjaminson
Grade 11 – Extended-Jasmine Haider
Grade 11 – Immersion-Braden McDonald & Matthew Chung
Grade 12 – Core-Laura Kramer
Grade 12 – The Fiorenza Drew Memorial Prize (Extended)-Phillippe Ross-Siegel
Grade 12 – The Raina Shopoff Prize (Immersion)-Emily Baxter
IB French-Mathieu Sasseville
Beginner Spanish- Maja Kunstelj
Intermediate Spanish-Nika Kunstejl
Advanced Spanish -Matthew Chung
Most Improved-Laura Kramer

SCIENCE – Academic Proficiency
Grade 9-Adil Abdulla
Grade 10-Salena Cui
Grade 11 Biology-Matthew Chung
Grade 12 Biology-Mimi Mayaki
Grade 11 Chemistry-Emma Benjaminson & Eric Huang
Grade 12 Chemistry-Anthony Caragianis
Grade 11 Physics-Eric Higgins & Eric Huang
Grade 12 Physics – The Ekes Memorial Prize-Bin Jiang
IB Environmental Systems - Emily Baxter
IB Science Prize – Overall Excellence-Lukas Hackl
The Eden –Walker Prize for Grade 12 Physical Education-Laura Kramer & Larissa Fulop

MATHEMATICS, COMPUTER, & BUSINESS STUDIES – Academic Proficiency
Grade 9 – The Snelgrove Memorial Prize-Adil Abdulla
Grade 10 – The W. Ross Brown Prize-Dang-Long Truong
Grade 11 – The Dr. O.J. Firestone Prize-Sarah Kim
Grade 12 – The J.J. Marland Prize-Bin Jiang
The Dr. J. L. Ablack Memorial Prize & Euclid Medal-Bin Jiang
Introductory – Computer & Information Science-Michael Kourlas
Introductory – Communications & Technology-Yuliya Belik
Grade 11 – Computer & Information Technology-Jasmine Haider
The J. Martyniuk Prize – Final Year Programming-Eric Higgins
Grade 9 -11 Business Accounts-Philip Haché
Grade 12 – Business Studies-Jane Scholes

COMMUNITY SERVICE
The Bruce M. Hicks Public Service Award-Bobby Kelly
The Coulson Trophy-Julie Sutton
The Lieutenant Governor's Volunteer Award-Jeffrey Black

OUTDOOR EDUCATION
Senior School Award for participation in Outdoor Education-Lauren Brandys

Academic Awards

SOCIAL STUDIES – Academic Proficiency
Grade 9 – Géographie du Canada-James Vuckovic
Grade 9 – Geography of Canada-Michael Kourlas
Grade 11 – Geography – The Pemberton Prize-Kaleigh Timmins
Geographie modiale: le milieu humain-Julia Dales
Grade 12 – Canadian and World Issues -Josh Levitan
Grade 10 – Civics -Selena Cui
Grade 10 – Citoyenneté-Adil Abdulla
Grade 10 – Career Studies-Teddy Taggart
Grade 10 – Exploration des Choix de Carrière-Alex Crupi
Grade 10 – Canadian History-Gregory Chung
The Hugh J. Robertson Prize for Grade 10 Canadian History Essay Writing-Heather McDonald
Grade 11 - The Adam Podhradsky Memorial Prize- Heather Dunlop
Grade 11 – World History-Braden McDonald
Grade 12 – The A.D. Brain Memorial Prize -Julia Dales
IB History-Alex Griffith
Senior History Essay Prize-Alex Griffith
The Clive Baxter Memorial Prize-Adam Burk
The Michael B. Kirby Scholarship-Adam Burk
Peace & Conflict Studies Prize-Josh Logue
Philosophy Prize-Emma Benjaminson
Sociology – The M. E. Jansen Prize for Sociology-John Wright
Sociologie – La meilleure note dans la section francaise-Colin LaRoche
Grade 11 Economics-Salena Cui
Grade 12 Economics-Josh Levitan
IB – Economics-Folayemi Agusto & Sophia Lal

MUSIC
Grade 9 Music Prize-Dylan Si
Grade 10 Music Prize-Kaitlin Kharas
Grade 11-12 Senior Music Prize for Excellence-James McCorriston
The Music Prize for Jazz Performance- Edward Matthews
The van den Heuvel Prize for Music-David Yachnin
The Centennial Choir Prize – for outstanding performance-Katherine Rushby
The Music '82 Award-Ian Burke Cameron

THEATRE ARTS
The "Director's Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Performing Arts" -Justin Reekie & David Scrivens
The Frank Hollington Memorial Award-Jordan Reekie
The Richard Burrell Drama Award-Nicola Ostrom & Julia Boshyk
The Best Supporting Dramatic Role Award-Sarah Shaikhali & Bobby Kelly
Senior Award for Excellence in the Performance Arts- Sarah Corkery & Julianne Hjartarson

DEBATING
The Ross McMaster Shield – Jr. Debating-Adil Abdulla & Michael Kourlas
The Gary Horning Memorial Shield – Sr. Debating-Mathieu Sasseville
The Tony Price Award/Le Prix Tony Price-Braden McDonald
Public Speaking Award-Adam Burk

SPECIAL AWARDS
The University of Toronto National Book Award-Emily Baxter
Millennium Excellence Award-Jeffrey Black
Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award-Kate Portner Gartke
The Environmental Leadership Award -Elizabeth Foody
King Constantine Medal-Katherine McDonald

VISUAL ARTS
Grade 9 Art- Leo Kadota
Grade 10 Art-Katherine Boxall
Grade 11 Art-Min Jee Kim & Madeleine Hill
Grade 12 IB Art-Julia Taucer
John K. B. Robertson Shield -Ariane Champagne

GUILD MERIT AWARDS
Grade 9-Jack LaMorre Grade 10-Claire Burrows
Grade 11-Simon Kadota
Grade 12-Jeffrey Black & Laura Kramer

BOARDING
The Benko Memorial Prize-Anna Kramer
The Boarders' Shield-Maria Wu

ASHBURY FOUNDATION AWARDS
The New Sun/Joy Maclaren Award-Charlotte Connolly & Tony Haddad
John Kevin Connelly Memorial Scholarship-Amir Alsaffar

ATHLETICS AND LEADERSHIP
The Charles Rowley Booth Trophy -Nick Scrivens & Morgan-Alexie O'Farrell
The Roy Napier Cup – Spirit of Ashbury Sport Award-Matthew Walters & Laura Kramer/Nikola Ruddy
The Southam Cup – Sports & Scholarship (male)-John Conway
The Beardmore Trophy – Sports & Scholarship (female)- Laurie Biewald
The Edwards Cup – Greatest Contribution to Interhouse- Jeffrey Black
The Wilson Shield – Interhouse Competition-New House
The 1977 Cup – Character & Spirit-Bobby Kelly
The Nelson Shield – School Captain-Bobby Kelly
The Ontario Council of Principals Leadership Award- Sophia Lal
Headmaster's Cup-
Sarah Burrows & Ian Burke Cameron

ASHBURY COLLEGE PROFICIENCY AWARDS
Grade 9 – Highest Overall Academic Standing-Adil Abdulla
Grade 10 - Highest Overall Academic Standing-Salena Cui
Grade 11 - Highest Overall Academic Standing-Emma Benjaminson
The Baxter I.B. Award – Highest Predicted-Adam Burk
The Governor General's Award – Highest academic average in the final two years of study-Katherine McDonald
Ashbury College Guild Centennial Medal – Highest Academic Standing in courses in final year-Katherine McDonald

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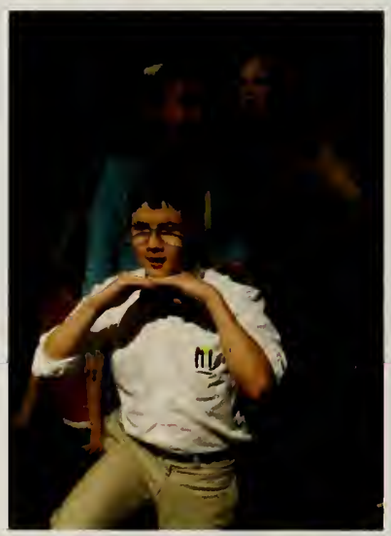
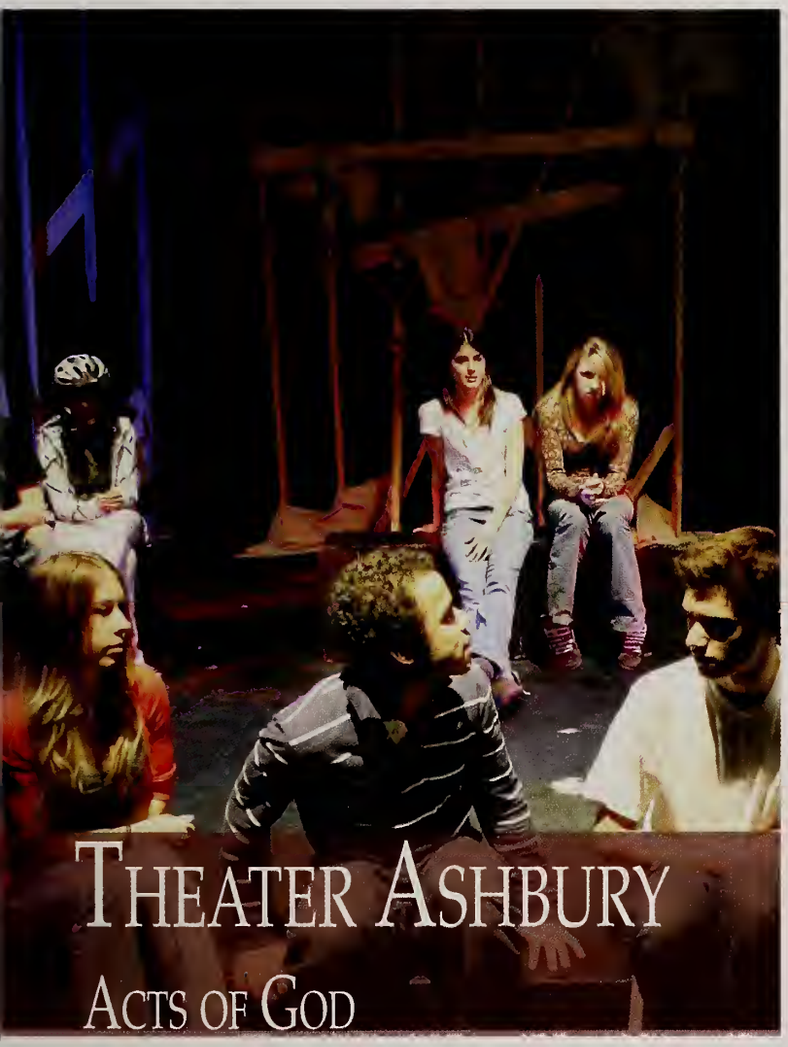
Back to the 80's





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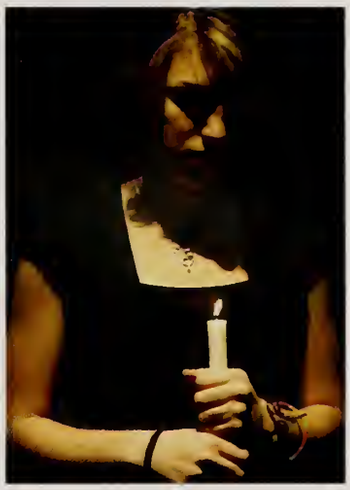

Top Row (left to right): Stella Job, Kyunghyun Kim, Julia Taucer, Daniel Goubran, Sarah Corkery,
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Bottom Row: Junyeon Kim, Anita E, Liam Olders, Christina Sfeir, Lillian Lin

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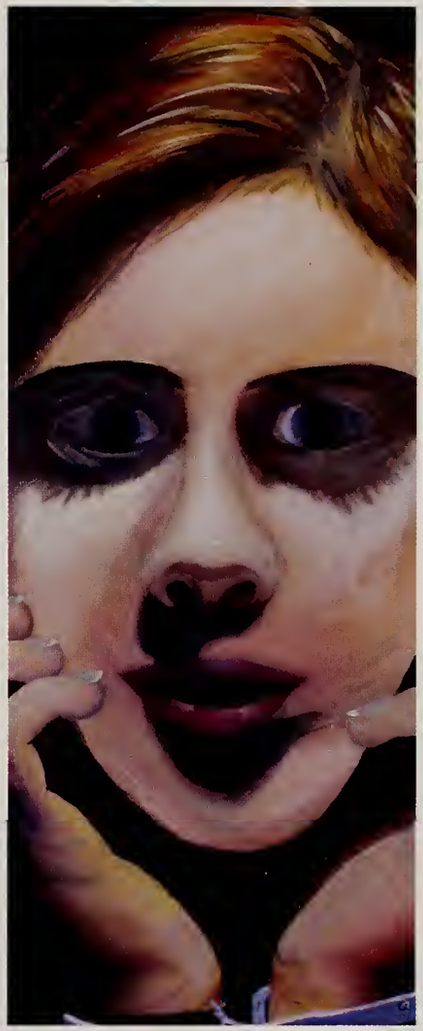

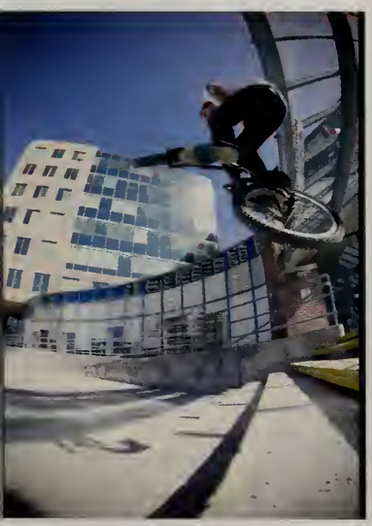

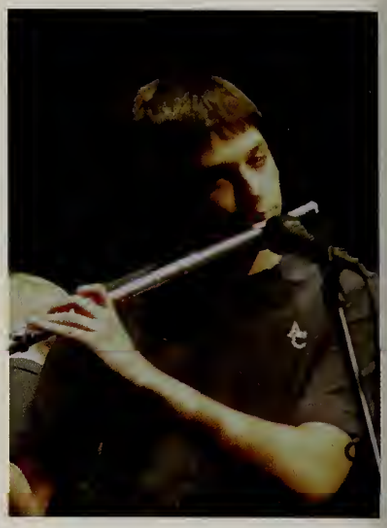

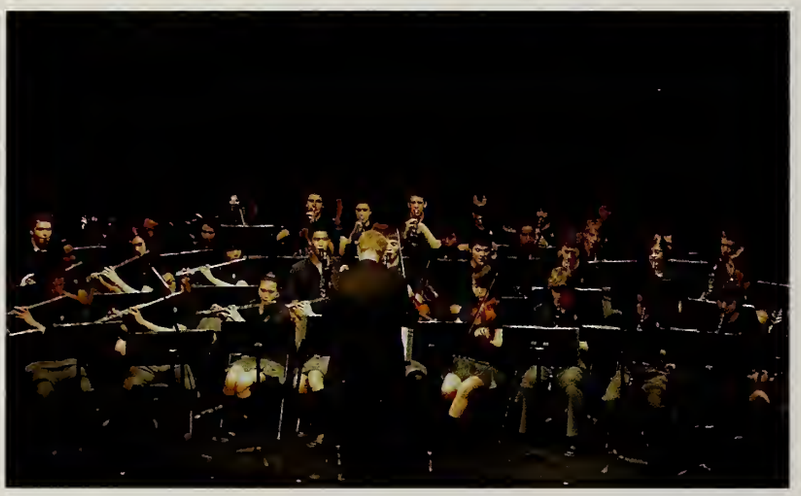

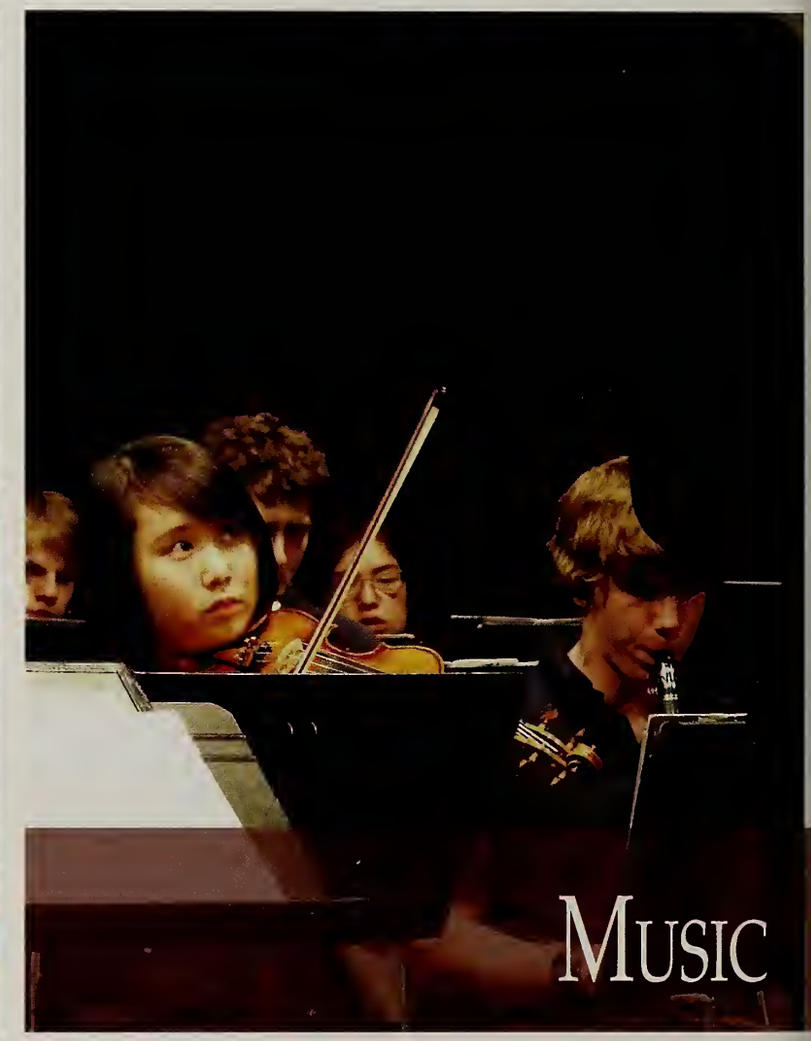

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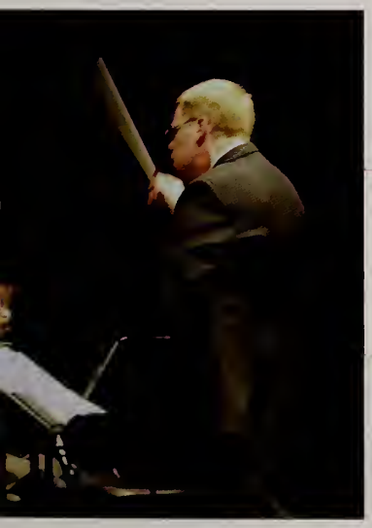

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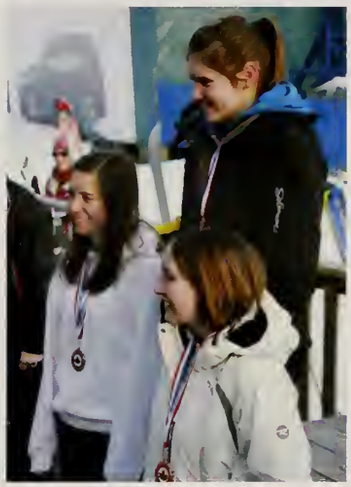

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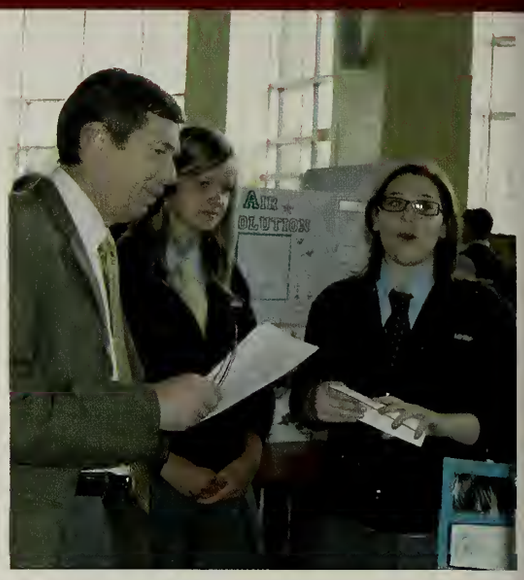

The year in review is best captured by the colour photography of this 200-page yearbook. It is the faces of 650 students and over 100 Ashbury staff that bring vivid memories and remind us of the people that make us laugh, cry, and do amazingly brilliant and silly things. I hope you will reflect as you skim through your yearbook, on the special teacher(s), staff or friend(s) that helped you, inspired you or, in short, made you proud to be you. I assure you of one thing, that this yearbook will always make you smile and bring wonderful memories and stories to life.

We are indebted to our yearbook staff and students for creating such a high quality yearbook. Thank you to the yearbook team who worked throughout the year under the helpful guidance of Mrs. Rust and Ms. Wright.

The 2008-2009 school year was a remarkable success from the New Student Chill Day and high energy of the growing number (95) of boarders through so many events, including: Camp Otterdale, house competitions, the "Back to the 80s" musical, "Acts of God" tornado theatre, record United Way giving ($21,500) and Ottawa Race Weekend for cancer ($11,000) participation and support, Black History Month, International Day, seven March Break trips, Prefect-led Free the Children "buy a brick" and book drive, 30-hour famine, Science Willing Listeners, Writers Craft Arts Night, MusicFest, Violet, debating and academic competition awards and all the athletics, arts and activities. Always a highlight, the graduating students brightened our February with their vignettes of Ashbury life. The school thrives with exceptional student leadership. Bobby Kelly, School Captain and Sophia Lal, Student Council President merit our thanks.

Beyond this list there were a few changes this year. Expanding art classes moved to the Anderson gym in their new "Artinasium". Green school initiatives took off with "turn out the lights" and composting, and football moved into the Seaway League for one year.

Most significant is the retirement of four long-standing teachers: Hugh Penton (40 years), Leslie Lahey (30 years), Tom Street (27 years) and Roberta Cadieux (20 years). In addition, Mr. Sparks (22 years) will be on special leave to the University of Ottawa as Head Coach of the varsity women's team. The talent, dedication and caring of these teachers have shaped the school and the character of thousands of students. We extend our heartfelt thanks and admiration for these highly respected educators who will be deeply missed.

In conclusion, when I reflect on this school year, the many student accomplishments and the retirement of some outstanding teachers, I hope you, like your teachers, will see the value in living "a life of purpose". Purpose in what you do each day brings motivation, passion and personal satisfaction. People with purpose stop thinking about themselves and become fascinated and engaged with the challenge at hand. Ashbury is a school of purpose and promise.

Assistant Headmasters

n his 18th-Century novel Candide, the French author Voltaire tells the story of a young man's adventures ınd misadventures as he travels around the world. In the final chapter of this book, a well-travelled and wiser Candide distills all of the life lessons he has learned into one statement: "Il faut cultiver notre jardin". Speaking of cultivation, I continue to be proud of and impressed by the academic accomplishments you have cultivated this year both in and outside the classroom. Here are just a few highlights:

- all Grade 10 students passed the EQAO Literacy Test
- a Gold Medal for our jazz combo at a national contest
- First Place in the Fulford debating competition
- best high school play in Ottawa
- a regional champion (Junior HS level) at the Science Fair, and
- 87% of our graduating class were Ontario Scholars.

am equally impressed, however, with the growing number of student-generated projects that help local, regional and international communities in various ways. For example, students on Mr. Putt's and Ms. Young's Environmental Committee have re-vitalized the green theme in our school community. As a result, you have enthusiastically recycled and reduced waste in the school's classrooms and hallways and in Maclaren Hall. You have also been part of a bold vision, the Green Roof project, that will soon be realized. Nous allons bientôt cultiver notre toit vert!

Thanks to your teachers, your growing awareness of the community in which you live and your passion for action in helping others, we continue to cultivate our intellects, our culture and our stewardship of the world, just as Voltaire (and other authors, I'm sure!) have suggested.

Mr. M. Mousseau

Mr. P. Ostrom

Reading the newspapers of today, you may be inclined to believe aspects of the following quote, comparing students to those of 40 years prior.

"The children now love luxury; they have bad manners, contempt for authority; they show disrespect for elders and love chatter in place of exercise. Children are now tyrants, not the servants of their households. They no longer rise when elders enter the room. They contradict their parents, chatter before company, gobble up dainties at the table, cross their legs, and tyrannize their teachers.

This quote attributed to Plato by Socrates, was written over 2400 years ago! It is a truism that each generation probably thinks the one succeeding is void of some aspects of character. Not me. Matthews could quote Ostrom: "Students at Ashbury are energetic, positive, trustworthy, fun, exasperating, committed, self confident, independent , driven, caring, creative, responsible, respectful". It has been a real pleasure to know the grad class of '09. Best of luck in your future endevours.

As another school year draws to a close I am conscious more than ever of new beginnings. Our graduates are moving on to the next phase of their lives, and we thank them for the time they spent with us over the past few years. We also wish them well in whatever adventures they may choose for themselves.

For our returning students the summer months allow for time with family and friends, as well as part-time work and perhaps continued studies for some. I know you are looking forward to your return in September when many of you will take on new leadership challenges for the first time, or continue with the unique contributions you make to our vibrant community.

For staff members it is both a time for; a well deserved break, preparation for next year and a chance for many to pursue additional qualifications and attend conferences. For all of us this is a time of rejuvenation and adventure.

It is my privilege to work with so many dynamic staff and students. I am often amazed by the positive public work that we do in our local and international communities; from Youth-to-Youth to Best Buddies I am so proud when our students make a difference in the lives of others.
-- "Once an Ashburian, always an Ashburian!"

Mr. T. Putt

The school year 2008-2009 had three terms. That is obvious. The school year takes up about [illegible] of the year by approximation. That is less obvious. That includes going through the [illegible] day cycle about [illegible] times. That is [illegible] hours of class time over the course of the year. That is not obvious. There are [illegible] lunch hours. Out of [illegible], there are prefect meetings or events at some point during approximately [illegible] of these hours. That is a large number, which is obvious.

Over the course of their graduating year, the prefect team has dealt with [illegible] [illegible] to perform the house events, food sales campaigns and other [illegible] held throughout the year. [illegible] organized the efforts of staff, students and [illegible] foreign diplomats [illegible] [illegible]

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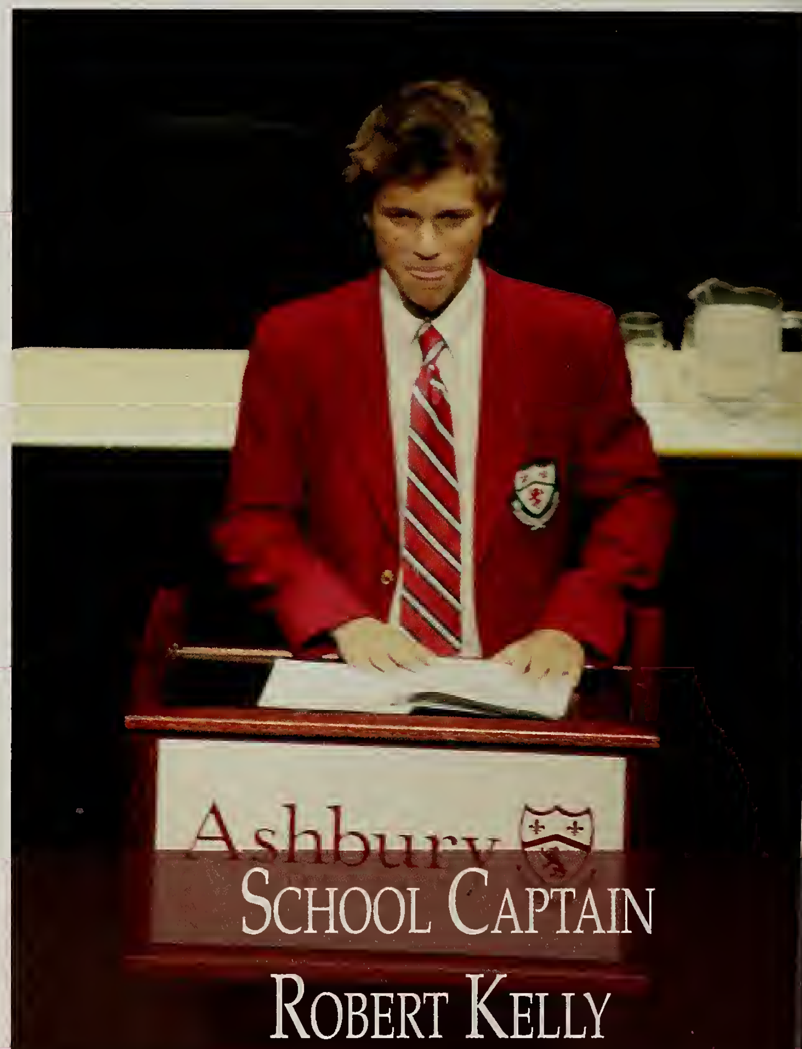

SCHOOL CAPTAIN

ROBERT KELLY

Student Council President
Sophia Lal

The first thing to understand is that Student Council never pulled anything off alone. If it weren't for so many people, we never would [illegible] Bottom Line Campaign, [illegible] such amazing [illegible]. Every event or activity always had a team.

The first team I'd like to thank is the [illegible] student body for listening to my horrible jokes every week. Without you, there would be no reason for Student Council.

Next, I'd like to thank any and every faculty member who has [illegible] it was [illegible] suggestions for improvement. Especially thanks to those teachers [illegible] not to give up. From you, I have learned [illegible] only when you choose to [illegible] to let down.

To the administration, and to the [illegible] staff – the amount of [illegible] with you do as well as your patience should never go unnoticed.

And [illegible] Student Council of [illegible]. The [illegible] passion to save the world [illegible] always creative.

To [illegible] you got [illegible] end of the day [illegible] learned when to [illegible] and when to [illegible]

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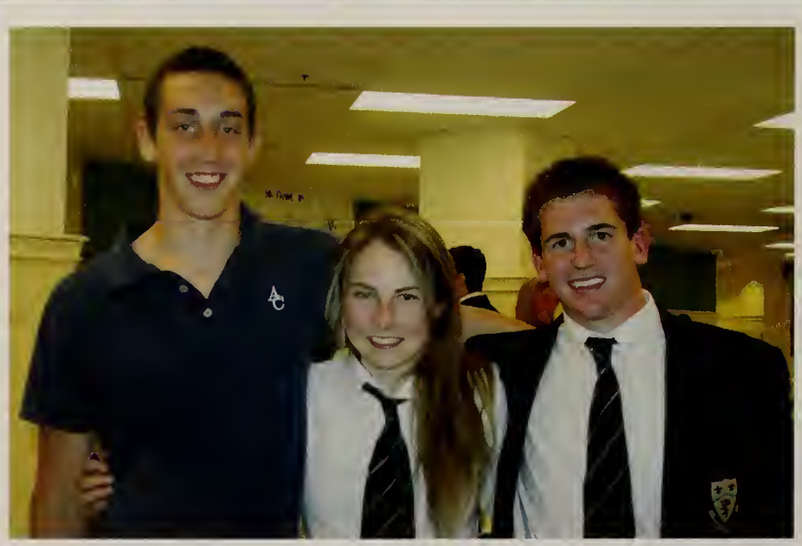
GRADUATES



Graduates

Folayemi Agusto

Erik Ardley

PROBITAS, VIRTUS, COMITAS

Not everyone is worth having front row seats in our lives
Those that do, thanks for making Ash worth it! xoxo

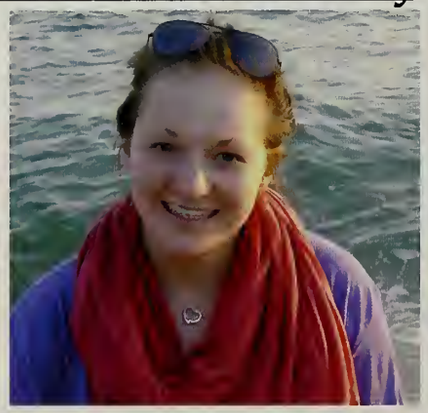
Hayley Arnold

"Don't live down to expectations. Go out there and do something remarkable." (Wendy Wasserstein) To those remarkable few who made it through with me. Soccer girls, musical kids, the fam, the stairs, and teachers who taught me when to keep my mouth shut. My boy John- you were always there when I needed you. The tripod, Meg&RJ, honestly don't know what I'd do without you, you've made it worth my while.

Charlotte Ashe

My two years at Ashbury have been unforgettable. To the coaches & teachers who inspired me. To the friendships & the roflcopters. Breakfast club-the Crew Bball cherubes Rugby Mowam Handy right off the Princeway JJ gt's w/ tilo Charzard quick#crunch Crob closet JAMS Brendy c'est évident 2 frolic Johnway flames. Ladies of the { } LIFE a.ruds other half lost w/o you Dar@Trembs party barn croc hunter The wheelz reaches mics. All you need is love. Rashe keep it real. Jai ho!

Marisa Ashley



"Life is just a party so come as you are. Dress it up or dress it down, never forget your guitar. Just be courageous, this styles contagious, Everyone can rock out like a superstar." (Miley Cyrus) A hundred thanks to everyone who helped me get through these last four years. Teachers; I learned so much. Coaches; I learned even more. Mom/Dad; Love You, and Thank You. Friends; Stay Beautiful. Ben; Be Cool, Good Luck. Don't be late. Stay Awesome, Keep It Real. Thanks.

Emily Baxter

Well wawaweewa those were 4 good years. It's been a wild ride but I'm all the better for it. I'll miss the summers, tremblant and all the people who made it worthwhile. Kayla, you're the best pally I could ever ask for, you mean the world to me, all I can say is valahavlah. Charlotte, cheers to 9 years of friendship, I hope they keep coming. "And now for something completely different." (Monty Python)

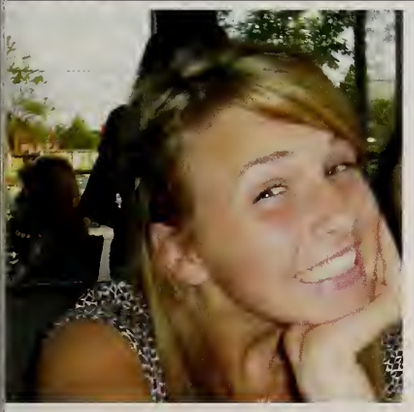
Nicholas Beaumaster

adies and gentleman, boys and alt. The time has finally come! Ve've had some good times, ome bad times, but we'll main- y remember the good times, specially every time I DIVE N MY POOL! It's HARD to be umble! I'll try to be nice when pull you over 5 years down the oad blasting the song bad boys in my cop car. Try being the key word I'm accepting bribes now, and OPP that is in no way serious please don't eject me because of that joke) Party hard, work hard! SWAT NICK OUT.

Katherine Belley

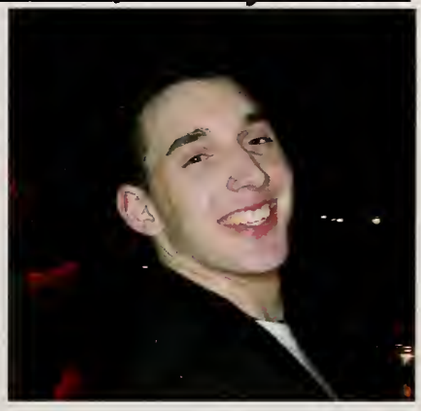
"What you leave behind is not what is engraved in stone monuments, but what is woven into the lives of others." (Pericles) Thank you to those who made these last 4 years what they were. Thank you Mom and Dad for giving me this opportunity and for everything along the way. Matthew: enjoy the rest of high school you're an amazing brother. Chelsea/ Bam-bam: you're the best we'll be friends to the end. Tristan: words fail me but thanks for being there.

Laurie Biewald



Smile .Laugh. Wheel. Get In Trouble. To everyone that was part of it. To my friends thanks for keeping me away from Volt. Apparently there are better things out there. Fab5.B3S.BreakfastClub.JAMS. Blondes. Erin, chill. G, listen to Erin. Allie, rock on. ohn, stay out of trouble. Jennie, stay weird. ` Coach Holman, Coach Gomme, Coach Duggan and Coach Boyd. You kept me busy, thanks or everything. In the words of Rihanna, "Live Your Life" and of Britney Spears "Swagger Like a Champion". Never walk. Strut.

Jeffrey Black



Thinking of Ashbury causes my mind to flood with the best of memories. From grade 5 to Prefect, my time at Ashbury has been more than spectacular. To all of my friends (stairs), it has been stellar. To the teachers who have changed me, I am grateful. Greg, you're my protector. Sarah, you're my best friend and my angel. To Mom and Dad, my number one fans, I love you. Keep laughing everyone, for that is a more beautiful sound than 'goodbye'. Honest Love.

Rachelle-Zoe Bonneville

hank You: Sisters for the traunatic plots, Mom & Dad the reedom, inspiration n endless oolness, JP, Brigitte, Pascal, love u. You guys mean the vorld to me. The Blonds n all he newly added be good. No vords can explain my thanks. he men you're all too sick ever call me for wisdom. Nat, you'll make friends I promise, take care of Orleans (ILY too much). Jane stop caring. Coach Boyd – merci trop. Tremplant persistence, <3. Ill miss you all. Ashbury. Peace. Forever party hard.

Julia Boshyk

Woohoo! I'd like to thank my family for all that they have given me, je vous aime. I'd like to thank my wonderful friends AC(La Gargola), Alex G.,SS,MA,JH,RI :You guys are truly wonderful people with whom I am thankful to have spent so many crazy moments with-love you. Thank you Mr. Holman for being the best TAG teacher ever. Thank you Mr. Simpson, Mr. Pelletier, Mrs. Jowett, and Mr. Uko for everything. Congrats class of 09'!" Buy the ticket, take the ride."(Hunter S. Thompson)

Adam Burk

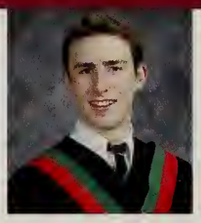
PROBITAS, VIRTUS, COMITAS

Sarah Burrows

"Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened." (Dr. Seuss) The end is here, we are finally done. From wee grade nines we've made it this far. I could not have done it without the girlies and the fam, and thanks to all who have put up with my IB stress. Thanks Papa for pushing me all the way. See you all on the other side.

Christopher Cameron

"Fumble outta bed and stumble to the kitchen, Pour myself a cup of ambition and, Yawn and stretch and my life is a mess and If I never make it home today, God bless." (Ase Rock) "You must be swift as a coursing river. . ." (Mulan) Peace, thanks for the memories.



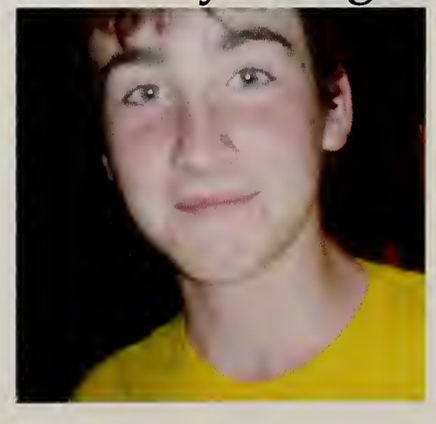
Ian Burke Cameron

Seven years later, I'm only certain of one thing: nothing quite captures life like music. To everyone in my life, you have your own song. Just keep it swingin'... BAM

Kenny Cameron

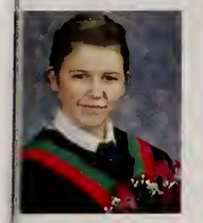
Too many memories; hilarious, ridiculous, Notorious. To the teachers that made them possible, RH, LG, NJ, HP. To the boarders, JS KC Pabloche. Gracias y chocaste wue. Geoff- It's been an honour. To the two other legs of the tripod. JR, grade 1 to 12. Thanks for everything. Breid, from birth to grade 12. You guys made it possible, don't forget. L-sa, 1947, Crash, and Arthur, thank you. "Take care of yourself and each other" (Jerry Springer.) Sandy Hill on 3.

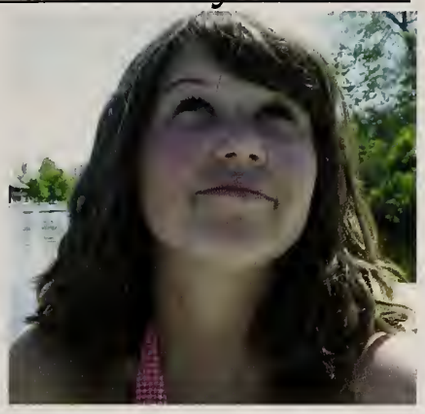
Anthony Caragianis



Nine years at Ashbury has taught me the value of hard work and provided the tools with which I will carve the rest of my life. Many friends have been made and many things have been learned. The end has given value to the means. The best is yet to come.

Tiffany Carroll



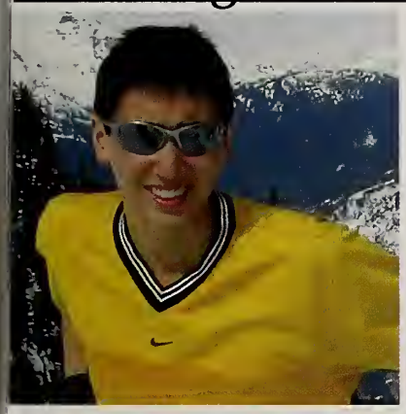


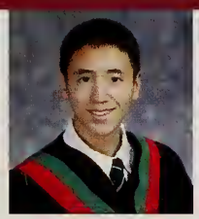
/ou can choose to blame your rcumstances on fate or bad ck or bad choices. Or you ın fight back. Things aren't ways going to be fair. That's st the way it is. But for the ost part, you get what you ve. The Rest of your life is ɜing shaped right now. With ıe dreams you chase. The choices you make and the person you ecide to be. The rest of your life is a long time. And the rest of your fe starts right now." (One Tree Hill) Thanks! – You know who you are!

Ariane Lea Champagne

With what I learned, I created- from what I created, I learned. Thanks for all the love and support, all the hugs and kisses. Cheers to those who were there for me! I couldn't ask for a better collection of worthy memories, friendships and mentors from this eventful ride. Maman, Papa, c'est grâce à vos encouragements que j'ai pu me rendre si loin. Good luck class of '09! -Soy una Gargola

Kai Cheng





"They're humid, prepossessing Homo Sapiens with full-sized aortic pumps." (Friends) Ashbury College. This is all a moo point.

Elena Clark

"No matter where you go, no matter what the weather, always bring your own sunshine." (Anthony J. D'Angelo) To everyone – you brightened my sunshine. "I keep going, so here I go again." (Lil' Wayne)

Kevin Claus

'm finally done. Had some great times with everyone ın boarding, I refuse to use nitials, so you know who you ıre. Thanks to everyone who made my two years here great; friends, teachers, mom and dad, all are a big part of my life and made it worthwhile. I suffer from lack of wit today, so just insert a clever and comical, if not facetious joke here for me. So long! "Glad I came" (Randy Spears)

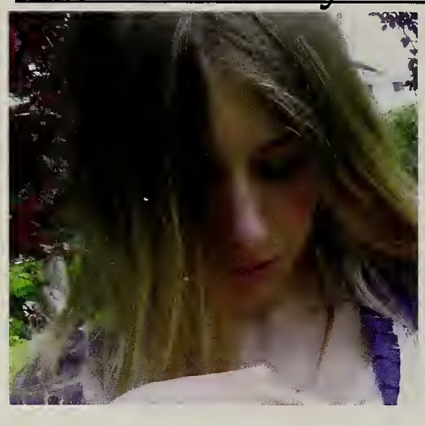
Margaret Cogger-Orr

We are the sum of our moments. ~ Four years gone by as quick as a blink. There were good times and bad, smiles and tears, laughs and pains, but they all made me who I am today. To the girls and the boys who pulled me through and got me here, I'll never forget the memories we've shared. To the coaches and teachers who put up with me, I owe you all more than you could know. To the family, thanks for letting me go two years early. It's been a blast, peace GIB.

John Conway

"Stay far from timid, only make moves when your heart's in it, and live the phrase sky's the limit." (Biggie) Big ups to GOD and my family. Mom and Dad, Id be NOTHING without you. Liz, love you endlessly and no one will ever stop you from spinning. All my boys (CABS) and girSL(HTMK), thanks for making it unforgettable. To my lone soldier, Diddy, you'll never be forgotten. Keep up the legacy. I'm out. DANO's in. SLD to live. Backdoor gifts. Cat to Tigerr. Love you all.

Sarah Corkery

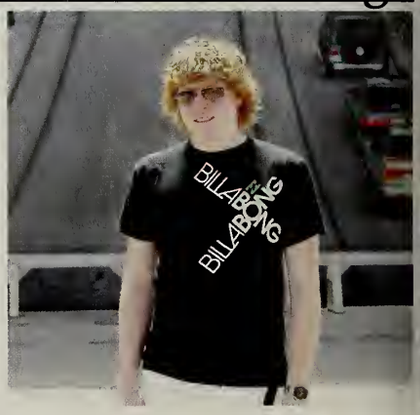


Grade9: terrified, hyperactive, huge groups. Grade10: start to belong, always learning. Grade11: everything changes, there's always a rock to hold on to (thanks). Grade12: learn who you are? I can't believe we're done! It feels like we're still in g9 but at the same time like it's been forever... I'll miss everyone tons, but this new step is beyond exciting. Anyways... Honeybees, what will I do without you? You've made me who I am today. Thanks to everyone who has been there through the last 4-8 years for support, to laugh, and just to party and talk. Love everyone so much <3

Julia Dales

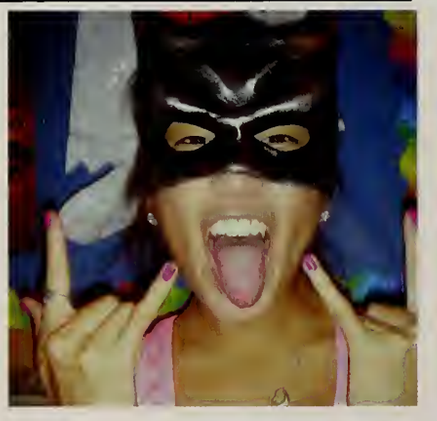
Here I come World and, thanks to these people, I couldn't be more prepared. Ms. Noonan you are Ashbury's angel and my hero. Ms. Lewicki, Ms. Jowett, Ms. Tordon, Mrs. Baxter, Mr. Boulet- thank you for supporting me beyond classroom walls. Mr. Moore thanks for being so smart. Mr. G. Taylor, you've taught me more than you know. Mom, Dad- I love you. And Grads '09- cheers to 4 fab yrs and to facing froshhood. Work hard. Wheel hard. PURA VIDA, An Ashbury alumn & proud of it.

Michael Dodge



After 6 years at Ashbury I have a lot of really good memories. There have been ups and downs but it has all been worth it. Along the way I've made some truly great friends and we've had lots of funny times. Thanks to Mr. Coles and Mr. Boulet for the desks and the endless humor. It's been great but I'm ready for change. I might be moving on to new places but I will always remember where I started.

Anita E



"The nature of my life, the nature of what I do, is divadom, it really is." (Mariah Carey) K,C,I&JE, you dudes rule. LF, my Siamese other half, see you in T-dot. AL, I'M Batman, you're so FIDDY! Tracy, Greigory & Mimi, you are my favourites. Galway, never forget. B3S, shop 'til we drop! Girls in the wood, miss you. JM, I like you...a lot. Thank you all for love, laughs, & inspiration. I love you too. Never walk. Strut. PS JaMS

Alexander Fazal

4 years has come and gone and it seems crazy that it's already time to graduate. All the years have been worth every second, from the good times of JR's sparkling basement, and chilling with the guys to the bad times, like coming back from McD's with a serious case of nausea. To the people who have made it memorable, you know who you are; I thank you, especially the group of '5' who have always been there. Special thanks to the rents who supported me throughout school and sport.

Andrew Foody

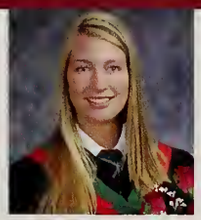
ROBITAS,VIRTUS,COMITAS

Larissa Fulop

I've achieved high school seniority only to become frosh next year. Still, I look forward to it because the young years make graduation rewarding. B3S divas <3. Siamese twinz 4 ever. Tracy: thx for the bug net etc. Mr. G. Taylor: adventure starts here. Ms. Lewicki: thanks for inspiring me to study soc. science. Mimi: BFF. Mrs. Jowett: thank you. To my friends of grads 09, thanks for all the fun. Pura Vida. Alright! Never walk. Strut.

Gregory Funston

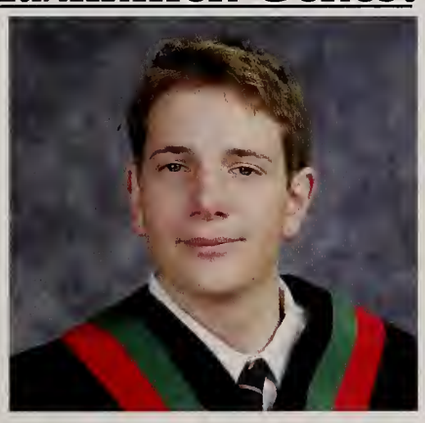
Peace



Caroline Garel-Jones

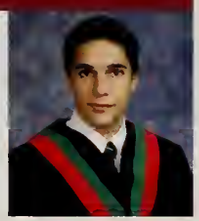
From "cat whiskers" at Otterdale to quarters, these past four years have been better than I had ever imagined. To "the blondes": the memories are endless. To the boys: thanks for making me laugh (WHEELS). Coach Holman, Coach Gomme, and Coach Boyd: you are amazing, thanks for 3 great seasons. JAMS at JJ's and breakfasts at Broadway's made up for all those sleepless nights and caffeine. Young ones: don't waste a second of it. Time to "reach" university.

Maximilien Genest



hanks to everyone that made these years at Ashbury possible. But, mostly to ıy family, friends and even my teachers.

Daniel Goubran



"Nothing happens unless first a dream." (Carl Sandburg) It's been cool, thanks everyone.

Jenna Greenberg

I live with no regrets, no mistakes, only life and learning experiences. Thank you Ashbury College. See Y'all on the other side.

Alexander Griffith

"To strive, to seek, to find, and not to yield." (Ulysses, Alfred, Lord Tennyson) To Julia B., Ben O., Jevan, Greg, and Lukas, for every moment. To Mr. Simpson and Mr. Penton, for all I learnt. And to Mrs. Jowett, of course, for everything.

Geoff Gross

Grade seven was so long ago but the memories I have make it feel as if it was yesterday. To my family who provided me with this opportunity and were always there to support me, I thank you. I am smarter than ever and it is all because of my teachers. MK, CD, HP, LG. To the people I have met and friends I have made, it's been fun. Kenny, JR, Brett, it's been a good six years.

Lukas Hackl

"Mozart was named after my Father, however, your son will be named after me." (Lukas "The German Oak, Son to Wolfgang" Hackl)

Pablo Hennique

Only one year, but it was sick... so many friends, so little time... Boarding was insane all the laughs and good times. NO MAMES estuvo kbron! Thanks to everyone for this experience, especially my mum and dad $$$....And yea, Second time is a charm...

Julianne Hjartarson

I suppose my work here is done and all I have left to do is say good bye to everyone here and voyage out into the big, scary thing we call the real world. It's sad that I have to leave the place where I've spent four years of my life but I'm sure I've been sufficiently prepared for what's to come. To my friends I say I'll see you later, because even though we won't see each other every day I know that we'll be friends for life. Sarah, Kath, stay awesome. I love you both.

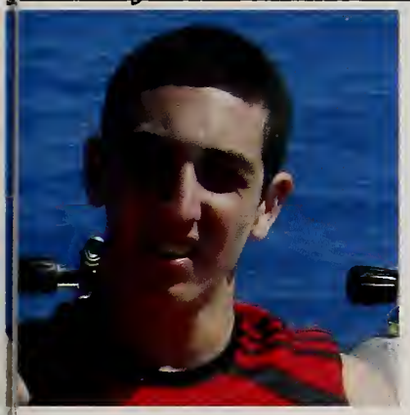
Rita Huang

om the foyer to the stoop, om innocent little grade 's to kind of mature, busy, l about universities grade 's, from oops IB English only a little ESL, from nani acupanda to bom m bom la, from a little sian girl to.. Oh I'm still little Asian girl :) Thanks to my family and to everything, eryone, every moment at Ashbury that BLINGS my high hool life! I love you and I will miss you and my first Class!

Rafaela Iannoni

Two years in so fancy a school to learn the simplest of concepts: The worst mortal sin is sadness, because it is the only one that offends life. My warmest thanks to the ones who truly did support me, it meant a lot, and to the friends I made here; I wish I could always keep you this close, thank you too. Lots and lots and lots of love.

acob Jackson

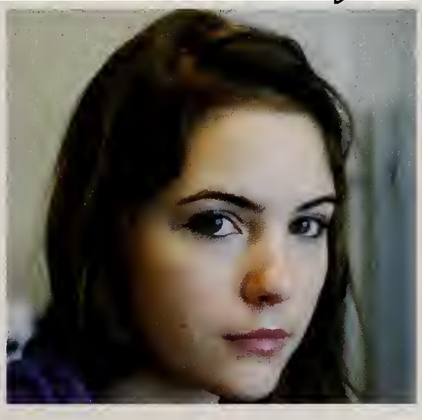


Ill times! Thanks to coaches, & thanks to the teachers for reaching brains. I'll never forget JR's basement (5335), the pencil case homicide investigation, heat wave, Car rally,& the Great Tremblant! Shouts to the rew – AL, CW, CA – YMCA, Hot-tubbing & no HW! PGG! ALT, JJ & his 8 armed friend, JR, BR, KC, JT, NS! All those est buds' moments we shared together (think of Jamie's irt) The Blondes! Amazing Rugby tour boys! J.A.M.S.

Bin Jiang

After two years of Ashbury life, I want to say thank you to every one in this school for everything, even a smile. I share the clearest memories with Ashbury. After two years of Ashbury life, I carried my thanks, appreciation, knowledge, abilities, sweet memories, friendships, sense of responsibility, fresh thoughts and my love, then, to be continued...

Stella Job



all the craziness; some emembered, some better rgotten. From skiing, snowoarding, Tremblant-ing to illing. I will never lose l the great friends and e memories we had tother. Live young, you ill surely be happy forver. To the long journey I have lived, to four more years of is. To the one who has made it all, this road will go on and on.

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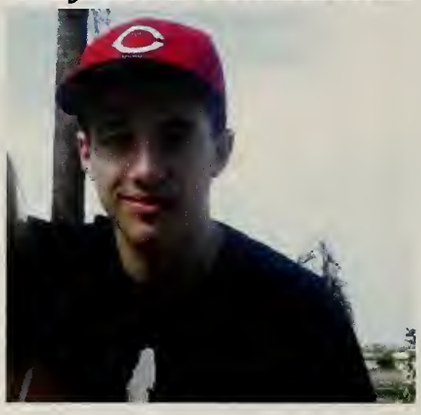
Chelsea Johnston

It's hard to cover my reflection of high school in such a short amount of space, but here are four lines to sum it all up: Thanks to everyone (family, friends and teachers); Everything happens for a reason; I'll miss the stoop; and Good luck to all in the future!

xoxo Chelsea xoxo

Jesse Kaufman

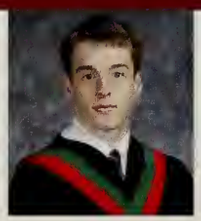


Although tough, my time here has been fun. I want to thank my boys from my first year for passing on their knowledge, I would have never made it without your lessons! Thanks to all my friends that were still here this year, especially JJW, JT, CE and DN.

Bobby Kelly

There was this one day. I got up and learned to tie a tie. Eggs for breakfast with my family. Morning in green and it was lunch real soon. Had Pho: large, then medium, then small. I traded green for blue and surprise! I got a little taller. Went to hang out, shot not, but I'm it. Wrote some pages, read some more and it's dinner. Red jacket and pho with a new friend. Said a speech. Took off the tie. The day was over and it was only nine years long. Oh Celebrate We Will.

Tristan Keyes



"I am just going outside and may be some time" (Capt. Lawrence Oates) For four years Ashbury has been the inside, and from the warmth of the inside I now take the great leap into uncertainty that is the rest of life. Thank you, the friends who made the Ashbury experience what it was, to the teachers for their readily available help, and to my parents who made it possible for me to spend the last four years here. Finally to Kat: words cannot help me here.

John Kim

2 years at Ashbury, Not only did I learn many great things (like how to tie a tie) but had the time of my life. This is not an Oscar acceptance speech, but I would love to thank everyone especially my parents for their absolute support and the teachers. Not to mention the boarding dons who developed me into a "responsible citizen", and lastly to all my friends, Cheers. "School's out, Memories past, Don't ever doubt, Our friendship will last." (Unknown

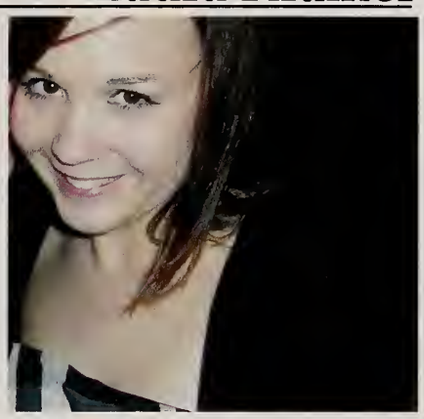
Junyeon Kim

At the age of 15, I dared to leave home and discover the world. During my journey, I've got to play, learn and love. To all of my friends in high school who haven't matured a day, you know who you are and I cheer for our everlasting friendship. To my parents and sister, you left no door closed and trusted me the whole time. There is no way to pay back all your endless support and love. and Saranghae.

Kyung Hyun Kim

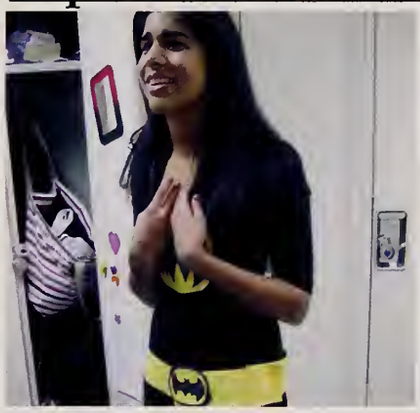
Thanks mom, dad friends, teachers an etc for the greatest hig school experience. will never forget th precious memories a Ashbury, well most c it I guess. Never give up and fight for the best, peac

Laura Kramer



Wege entstehen dadurch, lass man sie geht." (Franz Kafka) And I'm glad I followed this path. A huge and most heartfelt thank you to my parents and the rest of my family for supporting me in every way possible and to the best of their ability. Coach Boyd, thanks for persuading me and thank you to all the teachers for making my final high school years an unforgettable experience.

Sophia Lal



To the back row just one more time, wearing a red jacket like it's some kind of KRime.To slurpees at 7/11 and tasting just a lil bit of heaven. And SErenades with a saxy, and riding in the mazda3. Here's to beauty and the geek and the Dominican week. To burrowing and always having NO. Here's to the ones above, and those still below. To those Monday nights with gossipgirls. Here's to knowing and learning and breaking the rules. "I keep going so here I go again" (Lil Wayne)

Lam Jane Sei Wei

[Write up is deleted due to excessive ESL-ness] Thank goodness I'm in Woollcombe.

Peter Leenen

9 years @ Ash != 400 chars. Memories-slurpees with the boys/late night strolls through the hood aka Rockcliffe/all of those sports/ Otterdale/PHO with the usual peeps (IBC/SS/BK). IBC don't go to queens come to the states, just you know transfer after a week or so (you too BK). Well I'm out, RC keep on chillin and next year I expect a private table for IBC and me at the café. BAAMMM

Josh Levitan

My fellow Ashburians, it is with the utmost pride and sincerity that I present these words as a living testament to history in the making during our generation: As we move on, our lives will be full of ups and downs. Remember that "tough times don't last, tough people do." (Mike Shanahan) Shalom. "Never looking back, or too far in front of me. The present is a gift, and I just wanna BE." (Common)

Andreas Lightstone

Wheeling through Ash for 9 years has been a blast thanks to all those who were part of it. To my friends all the best. Laurie I miss you. Alex your beautiful. AE = cutie pie. And Cashe I love you but: Canada day is july 1st , it's a left not a right on Bronson, and there is no princeway. Walking or canoeing is always better than cabbing...Charlie`s hot tub + no HW = sick times. JW your house is sick JJ + CW. to my lil bro and sis don't forget me. PCE

Lillian Lin

PROBITAS, VIRTUS, COMITAS

Jarred-Ross Loeb

It's my friends and family that make me wake up in the morning. I would be nowhere without the help and support of my parents and two sisters as well as my best buds Kenny and Brett... I love you guys. A shout out to the men of Sandy Hill, rock it for me next year. To the rest of the grads, hoot with the owls and soar with the eagles. Mad love to everyone who stood by my side, I appreciate it. Take it easy Ashbury. Keep my seat warm boys... Peace!

Joshua Logue

"The strongest pressure in the world can be friendly pressure."(Lester Pearson) It's been a good nine years. To my family, thanks for kicking me out of bed in the morning and reminding me that I actually have to work at night. Time to go off to Queen's.

Mairin Macdonald

Yeah, I just stare at my desk, but it looks like I'm working... I'd say in any given week, I probably only do about 15 minutes of real, actual work. And look how life played out. A special thank you to all my teachers who pushed me to where I am now and To all my friends, will miss all the moments and chats and the game =) Congrats on completing a chapter and the start of another.

Charlotte Mackenzie

4 years of the good the bad and the ugly. To the blondes & and boys who have been there through it all. My coaches who have been there off the field and court when I've needed them most & Mr. Sparks the best ball coach I've had and will ever have. Mom & Dad couldn't have gotten through some of it without you. My bro Dunc who helped keep me grounded & my little bro MG you're solid, stir it up while I'm gone. Love you all. "That which does not kill us makes us stronger." (Nietzsche)

Edward Matthews

As a Reminisce, it seems my three years here at Ashbury have flown by. Nevertheless I'm thankful for opportunities my attendance here has granted me. Most importantly I am appreciative of the people I have met and the friends I've made. It is impossible to predict what the future will hold or what my role in it will be. However, my time here has taught me I better make the best of it.

Mimi Miyaki

I am not one for elaborate farewells but thanks for making it a heck of a good time. If not you're the weakest link-goodbye.

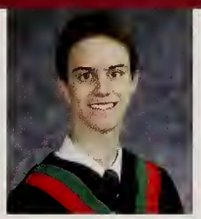
Katherine McDonald

Thank you to everyone who has made the past four years memorable. Hulie – love you, the cottage and the ponayzz. Soph – I'll see you at the bench. Trembs girlies+JG we had fun times! Batman you are spidey's fav, AE – my study buddy and nose breaker, CGJ– our mosquito is on the wall. Wish MS could stay to the end. Fez make me proud, Dr. Blonde get off the phone, and thanks to the Faj and Flippa. I love and will miss you all!

Brendan McGovern

Firstly I'd like to say you're welcome to my parents for being such a good kid and thanks for everything you've done for me. Thanks to my sisters for making me realize that some girls aren't cruel. To my good friends, thanks for entertaining me. Sincerity was never my strength. Thanks to my coaches for teaching me invaluable lessons on and off the field. You'll only realize that high school is the best time of your life when it's too late, so have fun while you still can. The sky is the limit. "The core of mans' sprit comes from new experiences" (Christopher McCandless)

Shawn Miller

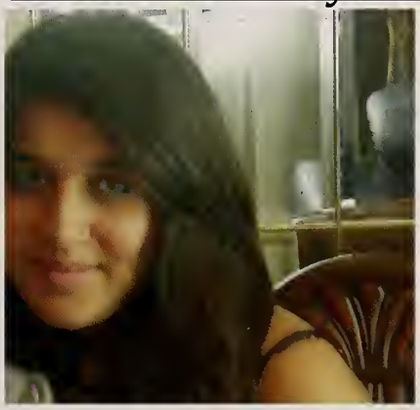


A lot has happened since I started in boarding. Injuries, friendships, ton-loads of homework, none of these compare to the shock of rez. I don't mind it anymore but the stairs last year and the low ceilings in the common room this year are things I won't be missing. The times I'll miss the most are the good times, like the rowing boat, late returns to boarding with Erik, and actually most of boarding. Bin you were the best roommate ever and I wish you luck in the future. Have fun with the new rez boys!

Matthew Milligan

"What do I know of man's destiny? I could tell you more about radishes. But let us not waste our time in idle discourse!" (Samuel Beckett) Later GIB.

Sarah Nouraeyan



Text Message: Hey, its Ava [Sarah] just wanted to let you all know that my high school life is now over. Arrival time: Gr. 10, experienced: BLTC, and compared everything we did to HP. Every morning, with 2h of sleep supporting me I entered the Mac Hall, and Joyce Wing, only to find my place with my friends, Stairs Crew + 1+ many Others. I will visit when I turn 30, and I will remember, all the people, and all the memories imbedded in those freshly painted walls... [Send]

Benjamin Ogonek

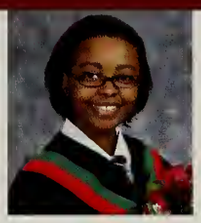
Can you hear me now...

Liam Olders

In the beginning, I was young. Now, well, I am four years older, looking back trying to figure out what happened to all the little things that made me who I am today. For better or for worse, I survived. My advice to all, Live Life, Love Life.

Nicola Ostrom

I owe it all to the friends who put up with me in my craziest moments, the people that love me the most, the coffee that kept me up at night and the teacher that I will never forget (GHS). I can't wait to see you on the other side. Here I go again...



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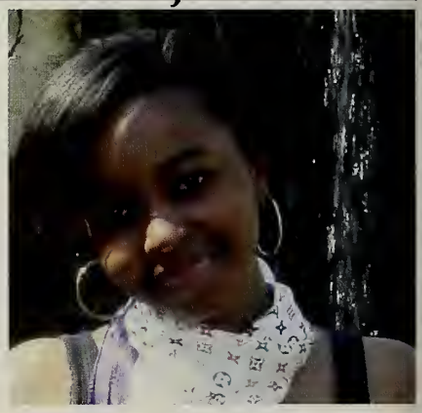


"There's no discouragement shall make us once relent, our first avowed Intent to be a Pilgrim." (To be A Pilgrim) "The future lies before you like a field of driven snow, be careful how you tread it, for every step will show." (Unknown) "The roots of education are bitter, but the fruit is sweet." (Aristotle) "Now I'm set adrift, with a diploma for a sail and lots of nerve for oars." (Richard Halliburton) Thanks to the family&the Girlies-my sources of strength and lastly thanks to Ashbury – 4 being the runway at which I soar into the world. Peace.

Jeremy Ouseley

From grades 4 through 12, the Ashbury uniform was part of my identity. It was nice not having to worry about what to wear every day! Ashbury has been a great place for friendships, learning and the notorious I.B. program, which has consumed my soul for the past two years. I have thoroughly enjoyed my time at Ashbury and I avidly anticipate what the future entails.

Pinar Ozmizrak

To the school that is precisely a century older than this year's graduating class, all I can say is, the good things in life never change. "Today is where your book begin...The rest is still unwritten." (Natasha Bedingfield)

Kate Portner Gartke

No one can sum up these past 4 years like Dr. Seuss; "Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter, and those who matter don't mind." – Thank you to all my friends who shared it all with me: all the laughter, crazy times and ridiculous drama, and the teachers who helped me survive to graduation. As Dr. Seuss also said: "Don't cry because it's over. Smile because it happened." – Thanks Ashbury, it's been wild.

G. Jevan Providence

I hold these truths to be self-evident:

1) There are those who dream.

2) There are those who realise their dreams... are impossible to achieve,

3) And there are those who go to the UK.

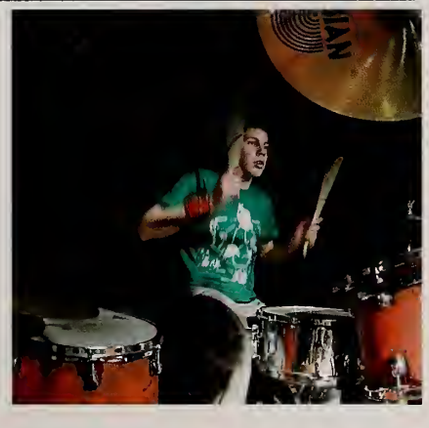
Justin Reekie

Let 4 years at Ashbury College be a Play. The Characters: myself, the stairs clan, the back rows and all of the people who saved me. The Setting: coffee shops, rehearsals, stairs, and Timothy's World Coffee. The Plot: A hectic crazy life filled with drama and revenge balanced with the sweet sounds of IB. The Title: Everlasting Memories

Philipp Reibold

Ich möchte mich bedanken bei allen die mir geholfen zwei wunderbare Jahre hier zu verbringen und mir auf meinem Weg in die Zukunft geholfen haben.

Brett Reid



"When you were born, you were crying and everyone around was smiling. Live your life so that when you die you're the one smiling and everyone around you is crying." (Anonymous) Thanks Taylar. Kenny and JR, love you boys.

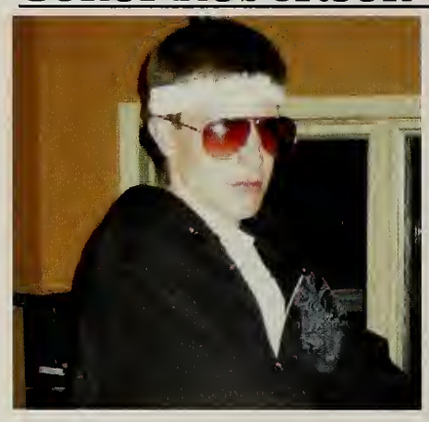
Michael Rice

These have been two epic years. Just want to say thanks to all of the awesome people who made it even better. Thanks Mum & Dad for being supportive, caring and grand. Boarding was quite the experience, I wish everyone well in the years to come. Good luck, and remember, "Don't let schooling interfere with your education." (Mark Twain)

Kayla Rimer

These past 4 years have been indescribable. Through the good and bad, thick and thin, I have made it to this final moment in one piece thanks to my amazing girls and boys. I will always remember hopping into pools, the weeks spent at tremblant, my niners PK RA AM T.I.A., adventures at Ventura, EMLOO and too much more. It was truly unforgettable. "...I keep going so here I go again." (lil wayne)

Conor Robertson

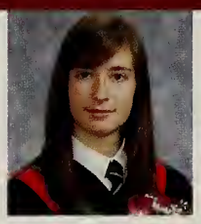


My 3 years at Ashbury have been the best school years of my life, and have flown by too fast. I'd like to thank my coaches for all the life lessons, and also my teachers for all the hard work they have put in, and for sticking with me through good times and bad. The guys, JW BM MB AL and the girls, CA AR, it's been a lotta fun but a bit too fast, stick together. Katherine, it's been the best time of my life since May 9. Boys, The Sky's The Limit.

Phillipe Ross-Seigel

Life is like a spark. We live a fleeting existence, fumbling in ignorance and unable to fathom why we are. It is an abyss into which we fall, endlessly enveloped by the paradox of the world, the absurd contradiction between everything. Yet amidst this chaos, the one thing that connects us is the realization of our state of being. The vivid understanding that the abyss is the closest thing to existence and it is from this perspective that the spark of life becomes a vibrant flame, showing us the world. With this, the existential dilemma gives us meaning.

Genevieve Rud



High school was not perfect but supportive teachers, family and friends have helped me get though the more challenging times. During these years I was given the opportunity to travel, in these trips I was exposed to different cultures and experiences which opened my eyes to the world. I now feel ready to take on new endeavours, embrace the world and the challenges it brings. "Just when the caterpillar thought the world was over, it became a butterfly."(proverb)

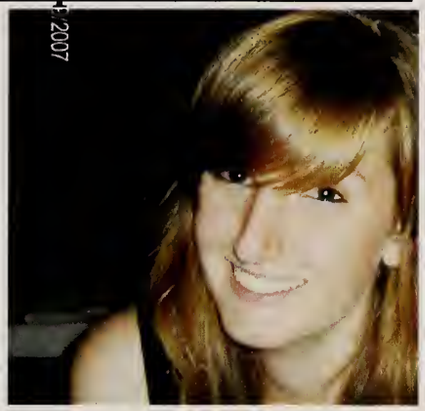
Alexandra Ruddy

Laughter. Tears. It's all been worth it. Mom & Dad, thanks for everything. To the girls-you kept me going & happy. To the boys-you kept me laughing ALL THE TIME. CA my counterpart-you kept me sane & smiling-miss you too much. Wheels. Tremblant/d'epoque-one step up from volt. Cancun 09 – I don't know how else to say it! ANDY HOW COULD YOU? For all the technicolour yawns and good times to look forward to. Just keep laughing and don't be ashamed to flare your nostrils!

Nikola Ruddy

But I thought high school lasted forever...? Here's to breaking the dumb blonde stereotype. Enjoy it – however hard it may be. How many unreal times with my girls? You girls made it bearable/hilarious/awkward/superfluous. Big strong boys – don't know what I would do without you. D-times. JAMS. Mum and Dad so much love/so many thanks. Sonya – be good, be wild."Oh I feel these memories have real times you can't steal."(For My Friends- Blind Melon)

Stephanie Sardelis



Turns out there are few things that are more chaotic than that of a human heart. Speeding up, slowing down, pretty face, flight of stairs, it's always changing; it's erratic. But underneath all that bump to bump mess there is in fact a pattern, the truth. It's love. Most important thing about love is we choose to give it and we choose to receive it, making it the least random act in the entire universe. It transcends blood, betrayal, and all the dirt that makes us human.

Mathieu Sasseville

ACHTUNG !! Nous sommes des êtres parmi des milliards d'autres êtres, certes, mais chacun d'entre nous à un potentiel immense. C'est ce potentiel qui nous identifie, qui nous permet aussi de nous épanouir dans ce monde. Pour ce, je vous suis éternellement reconnaissant. 'L'histoire ne fait rien; c'est l'homme, réel et vivant, qui fait tout.'(Karl Marx)
Прощание, товарищи!

Jane Scholes

Jainlikerain. Blondes: hair colors change, friendships don't. Thanks to my Boys for keeping me sane, Mom & Dad for the opportunities, & 'the bestt brotherr everr'. LJB your closet is never safe. AR NR CGJ we'll always be the only ones laughing. RB: forever ETL. JAMS. We'll probably never find the corner/edge pieces...wouldn't have it any other way. 9-11's watch out – it goes by fast. Grads'09 keep on wheeling. We survived. "I sat beside you and became myself." (Joshua Radin)

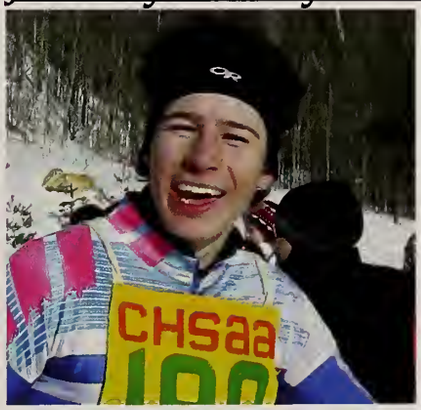
David Scrivens

My other write up was better

Noah Segal

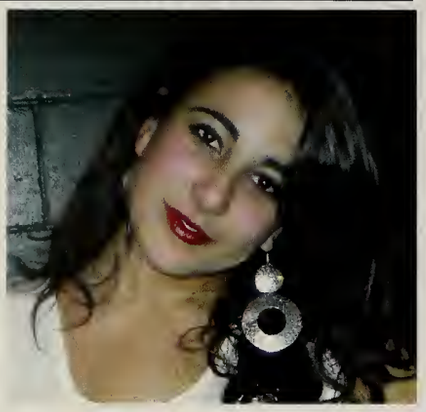
Summing it up I guess all there is to say is "Life is what happens to you while you're busy making other plans." (John Lennon) So lets all just chill out and enjoy whatever comes our way. It's been a solid 4 years and I've received excellent brains here. The next few years are gonna be epic. My only regret is that you're not all going to be there with me, I'll miss you all. Peace

Jeremy Selwyn



As I add to another chapter of my life, I realize it has been a really fun and exciting journey thought the past four years at Ashbury. For life lessons, memories, support and good times my many thanks go out to my teachers, parents, and friends. Goodbye. Its time for level 5.

Christina Sfeir



"My alphabet starts with this letter called yuzz. It's the letter I use to spell yuzz-a-ma-tuzz. You'll be sort of surprised what there is to be found once you go beyond 'Z' and start poking around!"(Dr. Suess) Never take life seriously, nobody gets out alive anyway. See you on the other side!

Sarah Shaikhali

Wow. Four whole years have come and gone baby! All I can say is that I'm ready for a new beginning. To my friends and family, you rock my world, thanks for everything; I'd be lost without you. Julianne, stay hot – you're amazing. From late nights to early mornings, from study hall to spare and from intimidated to intimidating, I'll never forget these years. "Fear not for the future, weep not for the past." (Percy Bysshe Shelley) Peace out.

Benjamin Simpson

Six years of Ashbury College has been quite the experience, but it's nice to be finally moving on. Thanks to all the teachers along the way.

Christine Soong

Awesome 4 years of high school, I'm sad to see the years go by. "We move in circles, balanced all the while on a gleaming razor's edge. A perfect sphere colliding with our fate. Our story ends where it began." (Dream Theater) The jitters of grade 9 come flooding back... university life. This shows that things are about to change; for the better or worse, only time and actions will tell. Wish me luck!

Julie Sutton

Ciao Ashbury, it was a great ride. "Summers going fast, Nights growing colder, Children growing up, Old friends growing older, Freeze this moment a little bit longer, Make each sensation a little bit stronger." (Rush ~Time Stand Still) Thanks to everyone that mattered; you know who you are. Pura Vida baby!

Clara Szullo

I had a lot of good times and memories from these four years. Costa Rica and Belize were amazing and taught me a lot. I had so many unique experiences that I will never forget. Thanks for suffering through the open water test in the freezing cold water with me Gen, just so I could scuba dive in Belize. But it was worth it! Good luck in the future everyone! Pura Vida!

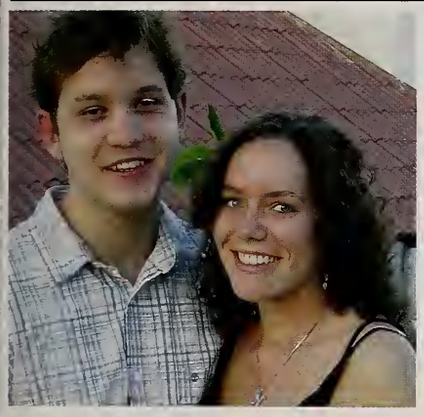
Julia Taucer

Ashbury, it's been four amazing years and I wouldn't change anything. Thanks to my teachers, friends, family and everyone who's been a part of it. You've made it great. "But if these years have taught me anything it is this: you can never run away. Not ever. The only way out is in." (Junot Diaz) Go have fun! See you later. PS: "I desperately wish I had my tambourine with me now, because even after everything I'm still wearing heavy boots, and sometimes it helps to play a good beat." (Jonathan Safran Foer)

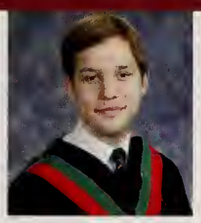
Jaime Thomson

The most important thing during these 4 years has been enjoying every moment. My highest moments during high school have been with best buds. Going to France, playing on the hockey team, joining Dair to Nair have connected me to friends that will hopefully never be lost and created memories that will never be forgotten. Bronze.

Nicole Uher



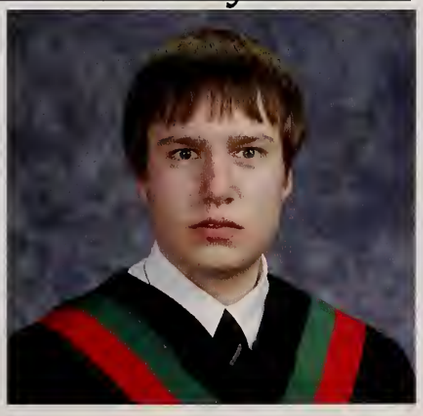
"The grand essentials of happiness are: something to do, something to love, and something to hope for." (A. Chalmers) Something to do: IB.Something to love: Mom, Dad, Robert—you loved me through good and bad. To all my friends, thanks for the laughs! Peter, you never lost faith in me, szeretlek. Something to hope for: Eternal happiness.



Peter Valentovics

"It is not enough to be Hungarian; you must have talent as well." (Alexander Korda). Bazmeg

Kyle Wall



METALLICA RULES!

Matthew Walters

WC taught me clichés are overused, but I just have to go ahead and say: so much has changed, many life experiences have been learned throughout 4 long years; the end has finally come. After 3 hard ones, the best year was saved for last. JJ Beaumn JR's basement (and JR of course) DJ K Sleep "Its been a long ride boys" (Randy Spears)™ coaches subway24/7-11 chinesedep ImichiganD bermuda09 and quite possibly the weirdest/best nickname ever... BAM! hit'em with a freezepopPCE

Jonathan Weinstein

6 years gone by, never knowing what was going to happen next. Thanks to my parents for the non-stop support, sisters for paving the way, coaches for teaching me right from wrong and teacher's for sticking by me. Rugby, football, both amazing. Boys – AL, CR (May 9th), BM, MB, JJ, CW, it's been wild, uhll times, girls…too many to list, it's been a privilege. Tour 09' too good to be true. Time flies when you're having fun. Boys, The Sky is the Limit.

Charles Wright

Too much to recall; JAMS, Hot tub, Block 9 spare, Carpool, Gym Crew, Lioncashe, Sparkwords, Casual Get-Togethers, VV, Knitting, Snakes, Skiing. Shoutouts-you guys and gals know who you are, YOU'RE MY FRIEND(S). Thanks rents, Yes Judy, as long as you don't call me Charlie-Bird. Thanks a bundle Daddio, it went swimmingly. To 6 phenomenal years, each subsequent year increasing in fun factor. Advice: take it slow; walking home is a lot more fun than getting a ride. >: 3

John Wright

There were some boring times, some exciting times, some embarrassing times and some times that I wish I could get back. Thanks to the family, friends, coaches, teachers that believed in me, naps, and fencing. I couldn't have gotten here without any one of those things. My Ashbury Epitaph evokes some fond memories; my half blood I.B. experience, and amazing times with Ashbury Soccer in particular. Some blood sweat and tears, but worth it in the end. Love and Respect

Maria Wu

the silly songs that we sang
late night talks in warm beds;
laughter the entire world can hear
broken by angry shades of red.
crying in the bathtub
or dancing crazily in our room;
vector for lunch and dinner
and a red camel-baby balloon.
awkward conversations
friendships made, lost, unfound;
all nighters alone with heavy books
an attempt at something profound.
relaxing on the football field

soak up the summer sun;
forget the silence, fights and
regrets
i'll only remember the fun.

Runzhong Xian

I am not one who was born in the possession of knowledge; I am one who is fond of antiquity, and earnest in seeking it there. Thank You

仁者不憂，知者不惑，勇者不懼。——孔子

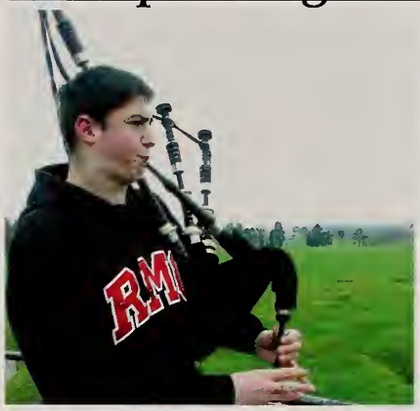
David Yachnin

"I was taught a month ago,To bide my time, and take i slow,Then I learned just yesterday,To rush and never waste the day,Now I'm convinced the whole day long,That all I learn is always wrong,Things are true that I forget,But no one taught that to me yet."(Trey Anastasio, Phish

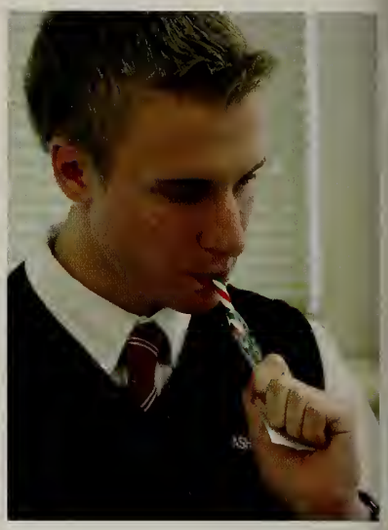
Amy Yen

For the past 3 years, I learned a lot, gained a lot, lost a lot, missed a lot. Smiling, laughing, crying, upsetting, singing and dancing around the school, around Ottawa. For those who made my high school life amazing, and are already on my BFF list- If Amy Yen didn't meet you guys, these wouldn't happen. I'm not gonna list the names, because you all know that you are on the list and I love you. Bye Ashbury, Bye High School, Bye Ottawa, Bye First Class. I'll see you in memories.

Phillip Young



Truth Duty Valour: RMC's motto. As hard as it is to follow, you should thrive for it. My parents, brothers, friends, even teachers all encouraged me to follow this motto and now I thank them. Ashbury is an awesome place to grow and my 4 years here were great! You guys shouldn't complain about the cafeteria food it's much better than at cadet camp.



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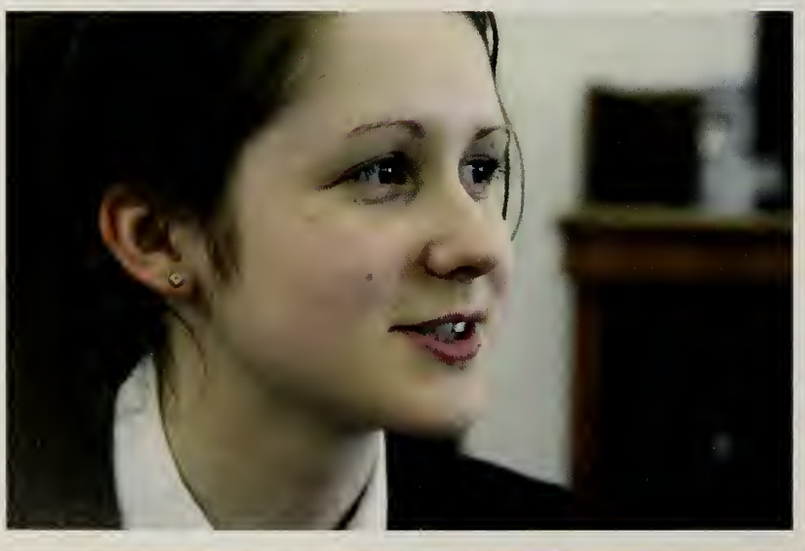

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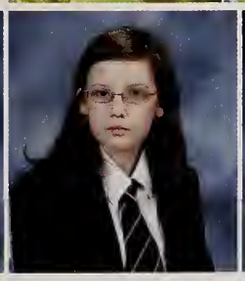
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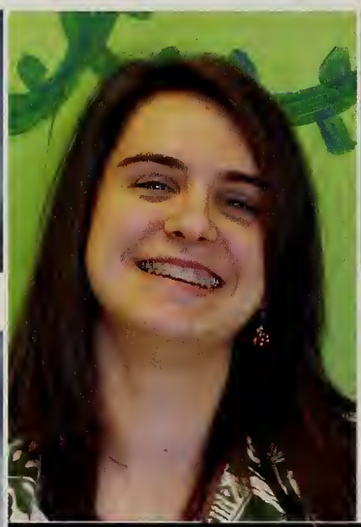

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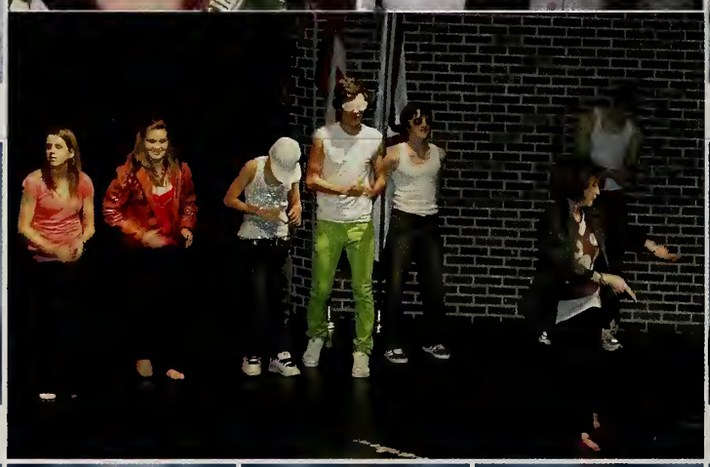

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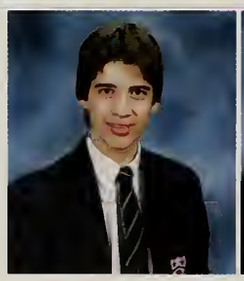
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Sofia Diaz

Anthony Doran

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David Gaty

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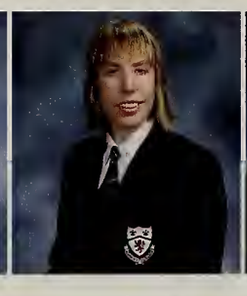
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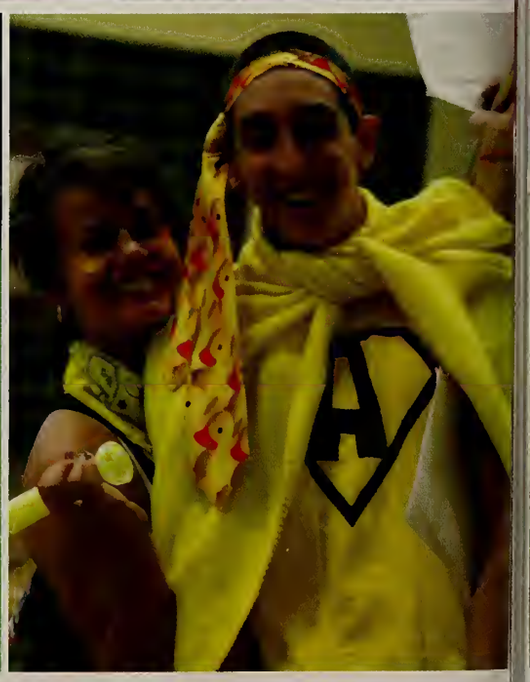

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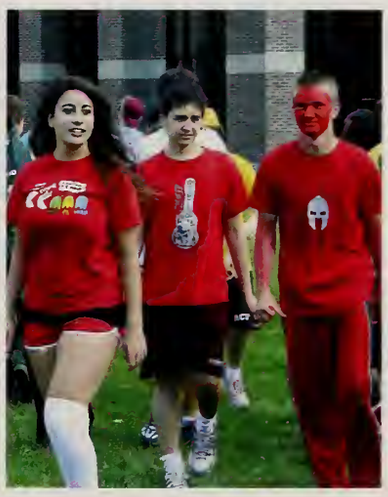

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Angelica Fieglar

Erik Fitzgerald

Chengbo He

Christopher Kennedy

Michael Kourlas

Stanley Leong

Katrine Lightstone

Emma Lynn

Connor MacLean

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Caroline Mulock

Laila Murray

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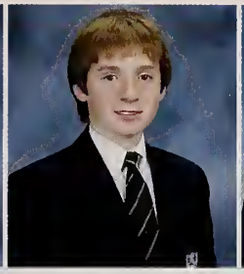
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Henry Fieglar

Cameron Fraser

Christian Gilberg

Omar Karim

Alexandre Kempffer

Peter Kim

Lyndsay Kotarba

Maja Kunstelj

Timothy Lo

Malcolm-George MacKenzie

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Kaleigh Timmins

Alexander Whittaker

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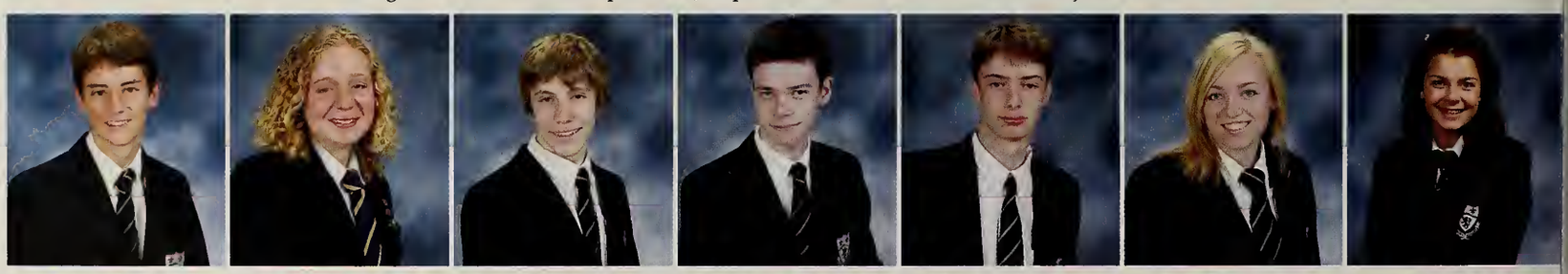

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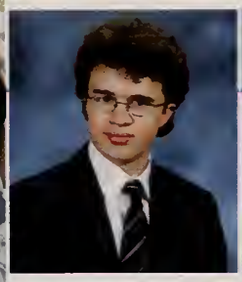
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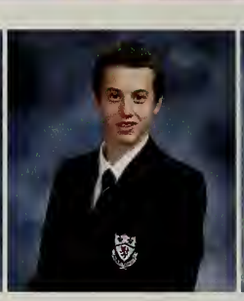
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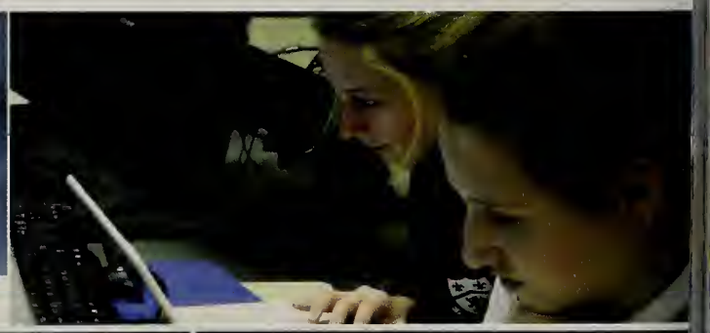

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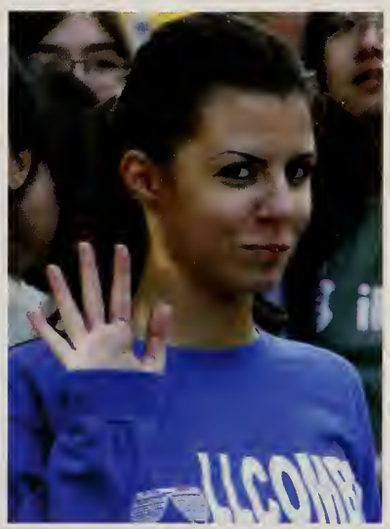

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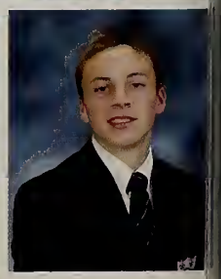
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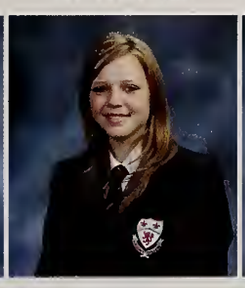
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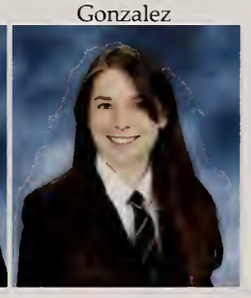
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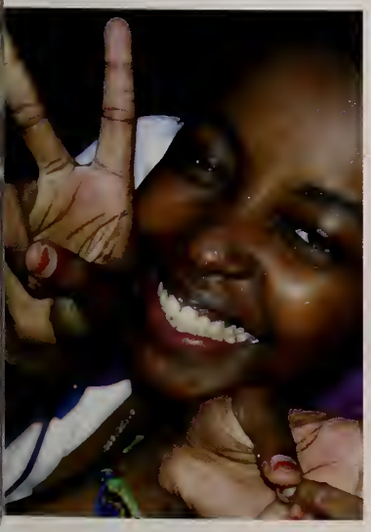

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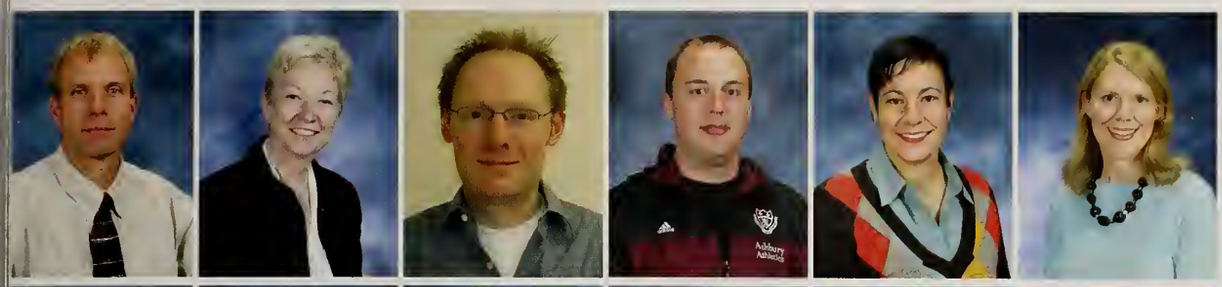

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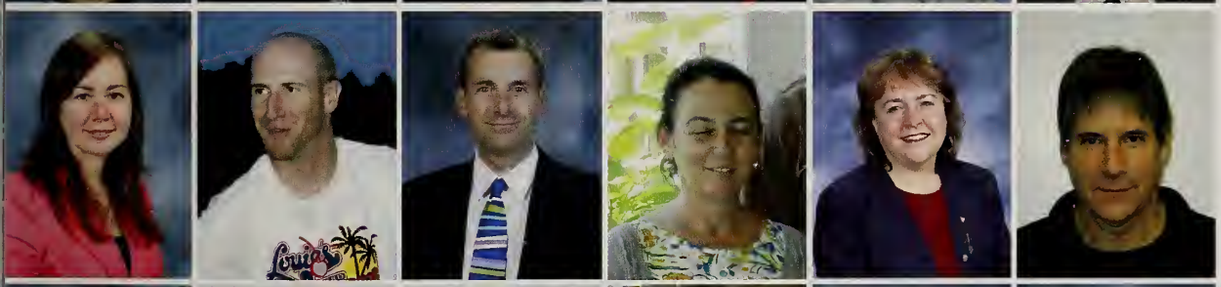

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Middle row: Mr. R. Goddard, Ms. L. Goyos Amargos, Ms. E. Graiger, Mr. D. Graiger
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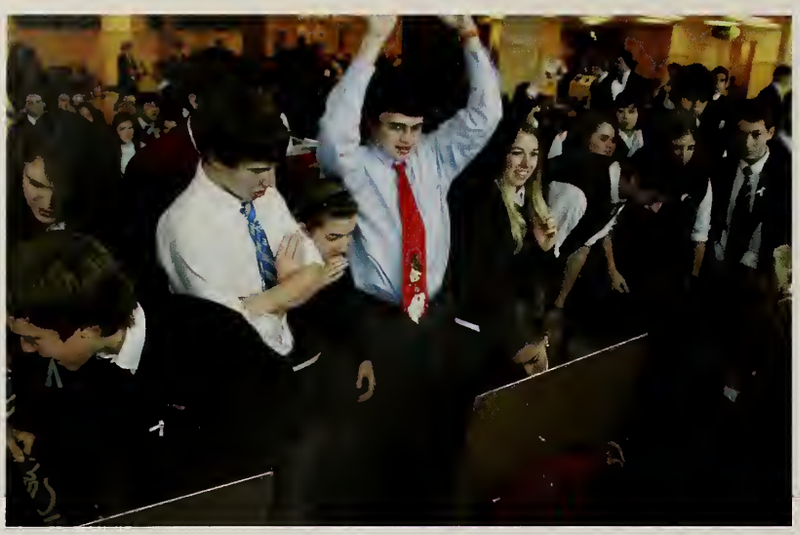

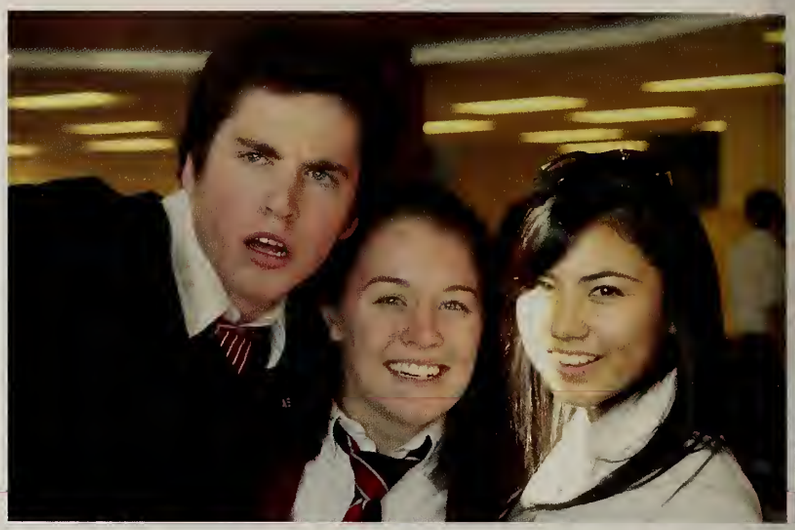

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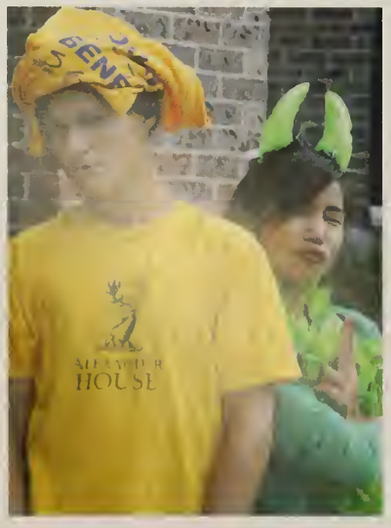

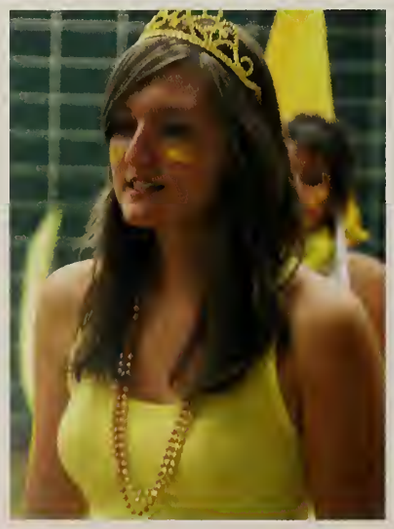

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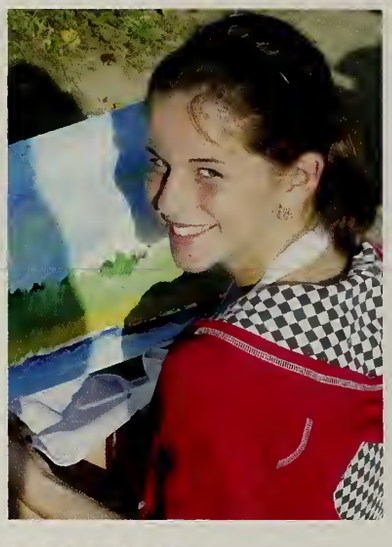

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Sports

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Second Row: Matthew Walters, Brendan McGovern, Jon Weinstein, Nick Beaumaster, Phil Young, Chris Cameron, Lucky Kim, Maggie Cogger-Orr
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Fourth Row: Coach Guarisco, Arya Mobasher, Eric Tawagi, Adam Poleski, Adam Loiselle, Simon Hecker, Coach Pidgeon
Back Row: Stephen Seibel, Colin Laroche, Coach Smith

Junior Boys' Football

nt Row (L to R): Alex Macdonald, Ryan Aimers, Andrew McIntrye, John Funston, Teddy Taggart, Matt Belley
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neron Morrison, Cheng Shao, Davis Maxwell
rd Row: Scott Giacomin, Brandon Sardelis, Matt Timbrell, Tim Campanale, Ben Ashley, Channon Roy, Tim Lo, Matt Regimbald
h Row: Coach Kane, Coach Greenberg, Tan Ho, Patrick Rhodes, Coach Zussman, Coach Beltran
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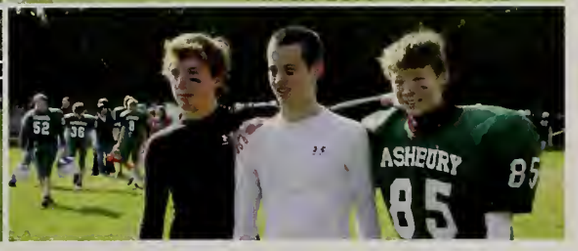
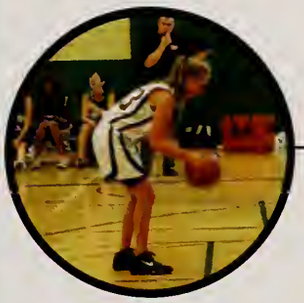


Senior Girls' Basketball

Front Row (L to R): Katherine Festeryga, Tamara Saikaley, Rachel Weistein, Ariana Emond
Back Row: Coach Stool, Coach Shannon, Celyna Arnold, Alexandra Ruddy, Stephanie Sardelis, Illesha St. Helene-Uko, Charlotte Ashe, Nicole Uher, Heather Dunlap, Coach Julie

Junior Girls' Basketball

First row (L to R): Sonya Ardley, Ruth Arnett, Catherine Bobiash-Rozkiewicz, Charlotte Connolly, Quincy Batson, Veronique Beaudet
Back row (L to R): Ms. Gomme, Rachael Murray, Katrine Lightstone, Michelle Robinson, Maggie Murray, Kat Elvidge, Chelsea Tannis. Absent: Angelica Fieglar



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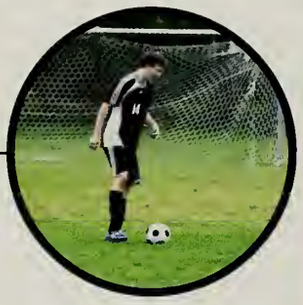


Front Row (L to R): Josh Oliver, Can Ergoecmen, Shimpei Kawaguchi, Steven Koutsomitopoulos, Zach Legault, Kai Cheng, Morite von Cramm, Sabel Poon, Hamza Ait Mohamed
Back Row: Coach McKirdy, Peter Valentovics, Brent McKeen, John Conway, John Wright, Ian Cameron, Sephan Metzger, Justin Ng, Alex Achtemichuk, Coach G. Taylor

Junior Boys' Soccer

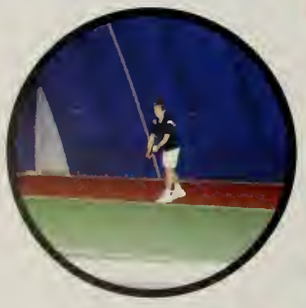
Front Row (L to R): Jack Solomon, Caleb Mousseau
Second Row: Arthur Leung, Joe Wright, Constantine Valettas, Christopher Hales, Jonah Nadler, Jeremy Acland, Ryland Coyne
Back Row: Coach Alcina, Ethan Sanders, Patrick Wright, Justin Arya, Norbey Putt-Ryan, Inigo Peral, Cameron Davis, Yanis Ait Mohamed, Diego Noval Gonzalez, Alex Crupi, Andrew Mansfield, Coach Uko

Girls' Field Hockey

Front Row (L to R): Clara Szullo
Second Row: Anita E, Haley Abugov, Naomi Niznick, Morgan O'Farrell, Sonja Moroz, Julia E, Laurie Biewald, Nikola Ruddy, Steph Black
Back Row: Ms. Duggan, Charlotte Dunlap, Morgan Richardson, Lauren Brandys, Carina Saikaley, Laura Kramer, Chelsea Johnston, Marisa Ashley, Anna Kramer, Kathleen Munro-Collins

Cross Country

Front Row (L to R): Meredith Allen, Anita Dabirzadeh, Mary-Elizabeth Power, Jacqueline Bedard, Salena Cui, Sonya Ruddy, Heather McDonald, Charlotte O'Neill, Jaime Rimer
Second Row: Mrs. Marshall, Moises Aguilar, Kathleen McGregor, Kaleigh Timmins, Fiona Davidson, Anna Schwartz, Ale Aguilar Sprowls, Marie-France Lavoie, Myriam Choma, Emma Benjaminson, Christopher Cadham, Skaniehtiiohstha Montour, Alex Craig, Zachary Healy, Mrs. Matthews



Tennis

Back Row (L to R). Mr. Penton, Peter Leenen, Ben Hovey, Malcolm MacKenzie, Elie Vered, Henry Fieglar, Lisa Geerts, Maja Kunstelj, William Nippard, Mr. Holman
Front Row. Emily Baxter, Miriam Petzold, Maddie Warren, Tory Milne, Caroline Mierins, Gabrielle Schachter, Audrey McRobie
Absent: Alexander Bleeker, Rachel Garbutt, Vladyslav Stepanov, Anthony Caragianis, Eric Assaly, Maria Zarakhani, Philip Wong, Amanda Ranaweera, Caroline Tong, Zach Hofley

Senior Girls' Volleyball

Back Row (L to R): Coach Holman, Anita E, Laurie Biewald, Heather Dunlop, Illesha St. Helene-Uko, Rachelle Bonneville, Nikola Ruddy, Julia E, Coach Gomme
Front Row: Larissa Fulop, Kate Portner-Gartke, Elena Clark, Nicole Uher, Morgan O'Farrell, Caroline Garel-Jones

Sr. Boys' Basketball

Front Row (L to R): Zachary Legualt, Tom Wiener, Harley Smallwood, Ben Ogonek, Kai Cheng, Jean Pierre-Charles
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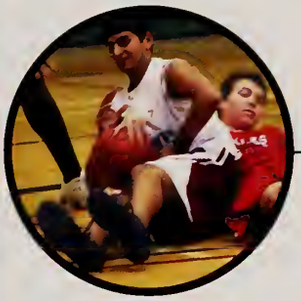
Back Row: Coach Greenberg, Coach MacKinnon, Coach Wismer

Jr. Boys' Basketball



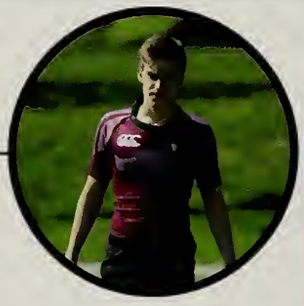
Alpine Skiing

Front Row (L to R): Genevieve Rud, Megan Prefontaine, Naomi Niznick, Gabrielle Schachter, Katelyn Vickery, Silya Shenassa, Caroline Mierins, Victoria Milne, Isabelle Baxter Second Row: Coach Beltran, Nick Scrivens, Jennifer Dussault, Matthew Segal, Stephen Seibel, Charlie Wright, Lisa Geerts, Nika Kunsteli, J.P. Kovacic, Maja Kunsteli, Coach Couterier, Coach Matthews Back Row: Coach Hessel, Simon Hecker, Colin Rutherford, Laura Roman Palacios, Tiffan Carroll, Elena Mosteiro, Sissi Soraiz, Alex Fazal, Matthew Walters, Peter Leenen, Shawn Miller, Alex Craig, Eric Ardley

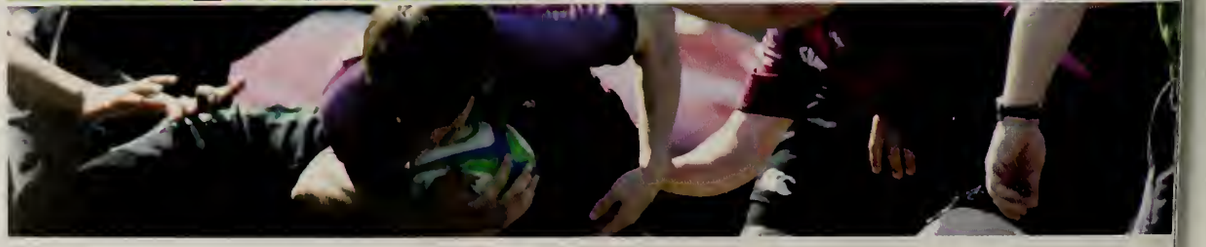
Nordic Skiing

(L to R): Coach Beedell, Chase McRobie, Andrew Berks, Tait Becke, Jack Solomon, John Conway, Jeremy Selwyn, Adam Gadawski, Kaitlin Kharas, Jane Arnett.
Absent: Molly Freedman

Senior Boys' Rugby



Front Row (L to R): Eric Higgins, Jamie Thompson, Harrison Brus, Andrew mcIntyre, Jose Salamanca, Tristan Keyes, Amir Alsaffar, Nick Scrivens, Moritz von Cramm,
Back Row: Eric Tawagi, Chris Cameron, Alex Achtemichuk, Stephen Seibel, Coach Pulham, Michael Rice, Brendan McGovern, John Kauffman, Jon Weinstein, Andres Lightstone, Erik Ardley, Steve Koutsomitopoulous, Matt Segal, Jacob Fitzgerald, Jacob Jackson, Matt Walters, Anthony Doran, Coach Middleton



Junior Boys' Rugby

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ack Row: Coach Beltran, Jasen Aussant, Colin Rutherford, Matt Segal, Phil Hache, James Vuckovic, Patrick Wright, Alex Crupi, Channon oy, Long Truong, Omar Karim, Benji Oppenheimer, Harrison Brus, Cameron Morrison
bsent: Jack LaMorre, Tim Lo, Erik Fitzgerald, Andres Diaz

Girls' Rugby

Front Row (L to R):Chelsea Tannis, Kathryn Elvidge, Kate Amirault, Anita E, Morgan-Alexie Farrell, Maggie Cogger-Orr, Marissa Ashley, Laurie Biewald, Keely Dobransky, Anna Kramer, Stephanie Black, Quincy Batson
Second Row: Caroline Garel-Jones, Rachael Murray, Ailsa Craigen, Charlotte Ashe, Rachel Garbutt, Sonja Moroz, Morgan Richardson, Katherine Belley, Katrine Lightstone, Charlotte Dunlap, Hayley MacLeay, Veronica Bleeker, Laura Kramer

Track and Field

ont Row (L to R):Melissa Riding, Hayes Lao, Justin Arya, Tony Haddad, Shannon Walton, Cindy Liu, Jacqueline Bedard, Lauren Hal-
vushka, Kaleigh Timmins, Isabelle Baxter, James Selbie, Caroline Tong, Emma Benjaminson
econd Row: Alessandra Cinotti-Ballate, Jennifer Brazeau, Jeremy Selwyn, Alex Young, Matthew Regimbald, Justin Lee, Kai Cheng, Sophia
al, Nikola Ruddy, Larissa Fulop, Jordan Reekie, Tait Becke, Anita Debavizadeh, Reba Wilson, Coach Holman
ack Row: Coach Smith, Coach Putt, Constantine Valetlas, John Wright, Colin Laroche, Adam Lebel, Elena Clark, Duncan Laurie, Matt
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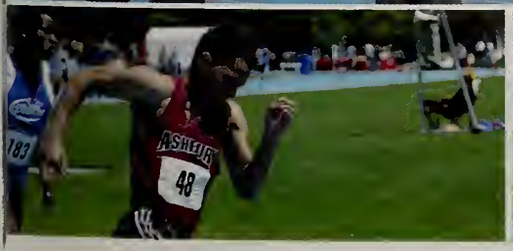
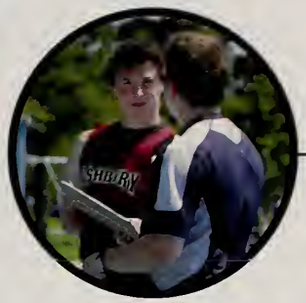
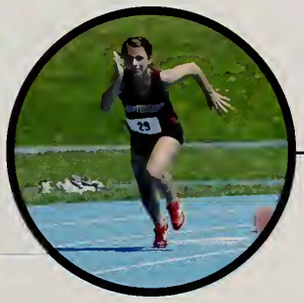


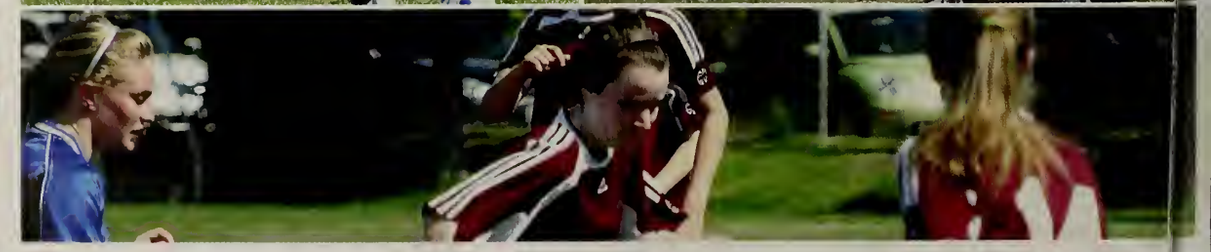




Senior Varsity Girls' Soccer

Front Row: Mary-Elizabeth Power, Charlotte Connolly, Hayley Arnold, Elizabeth Foody, Kathleen Allen, Kaitlin Kharas, Kathleen McGregor, Carina Saikaley

Back Row: Coach LeGresley, Julie Sutton, Clara Szulla, Veronique Beaudet, Celina Arnold, Katie Brown, Tamara Saikaley Caroline Mierins, Coach Taylor Absent: Sarah Nouraeyan, Gabrielle Sachter



Junior Varsity Girls' Soccer

Front Row (L to R):Amanda Ranaweera, Alisha Texeira, Juliana Assaly, Laila Murray, Maggie Zhu
Second Row: Coach Alcina, Elena Mosteiro, Marianne El Yordy Morera, Ali Aguilar Sprowls, Selena Cui, Gillian Reid-Schacter, Coach Sproule
Back Row: Sofia de la Mora Castello Absent: Meredith Allen, Erica Bergeron, Jennifer Dussault, Julia E, Skaniehtiiostha Montour

Rowing

Front Row (L to R): Nick Scrivens, Liam Faught, Jennie Day, Maggie Zhu, Madeleine Hill, Folayemi Agusto, Leo Kadota. Second Row: Alyssa Shand-Perrault, Laura Brazeau, Jane Lam, Jacob Fitzgerald, Inigo Peng, Maddie Oster, Chase McRobie, Kasper Richter, Surain Roberts, Katherine Hales, Andrew Berks, Kevin Chang. Third Row: Mimi Mayaki, Simon Kadota, Chase Batson, Katherine Berks, Tara Monaghan, Carl Heinrich, Jacob Waters, Evan Southern, John Mains, Roope Piipponen. Fourth Row: Jeremy Ouseley, Lukas Hackl. Back Row: Shawn Miller, Erik Ardley, Mathieu Sasseville.

Baseball

Front Row Max Genest, Josh Levitan, Daniel Altshuller
Second Row: Peter Kim, Christian Gilberg, Henry Fieglar, Dowon Kim, Owen Melanson, Kevin Claus, Eli Vered, Geof Timmons, Tom Hoshizaki
Back Row: (L to R)Coach Greig, Samson Merchand, Ryland Coyne, J.P. Tardiff, Cheng Shoa, Mr. Varley, Louis Boulet, Sebastien Box-Couillard, David Han, Coach Pulam, Kelly Denison. Scott Murphy, Patrick Rhodes

Junior Girls' Volleyball

Front Row (L to R): Sarah Gross, Celyna Arnold, Charlotte Dunlap, Charlotte Connolly
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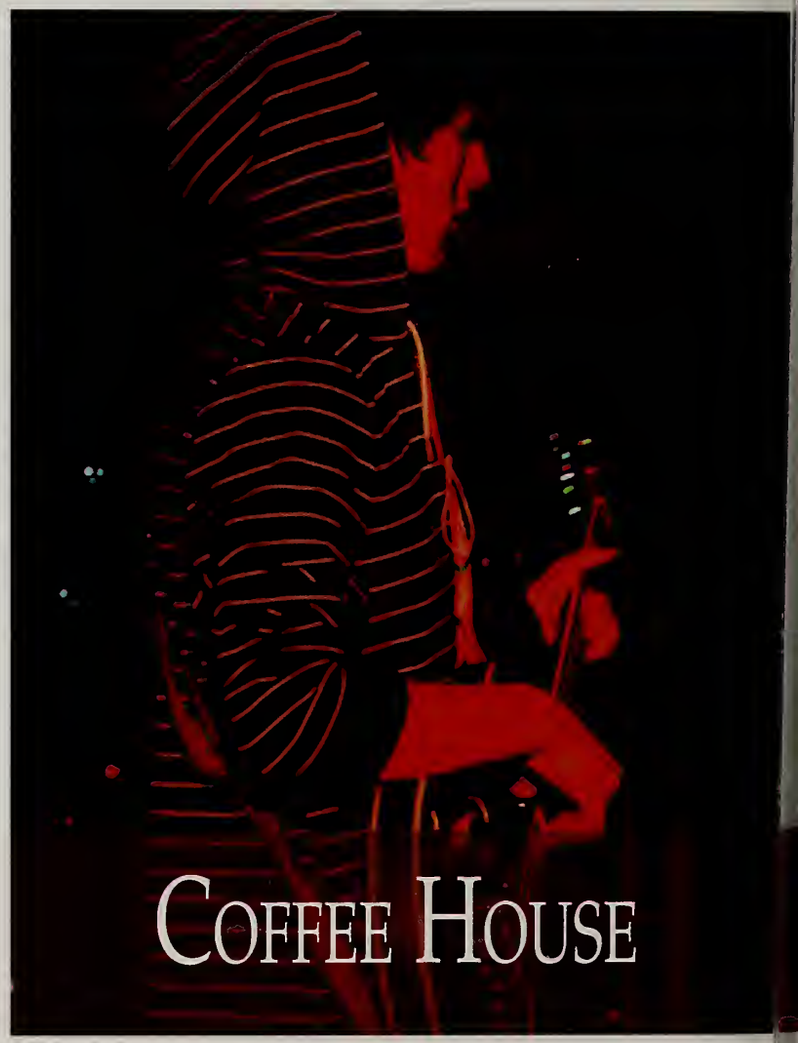

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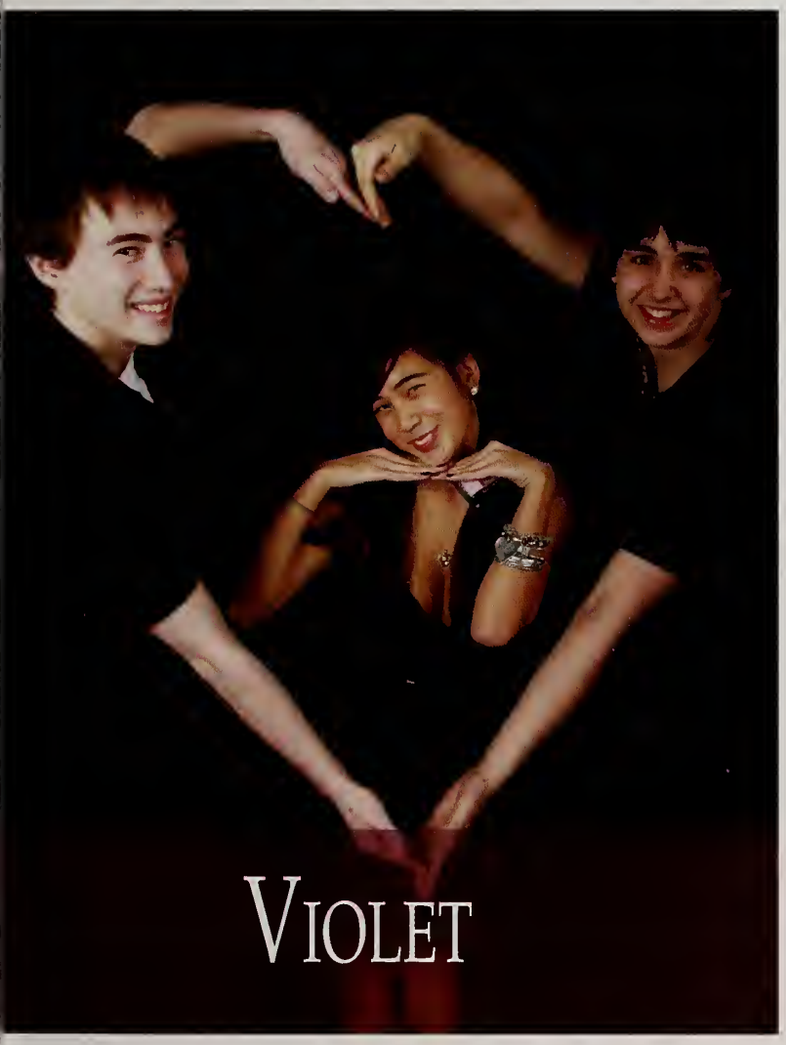
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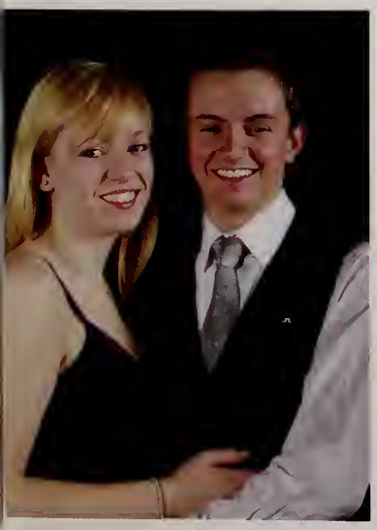

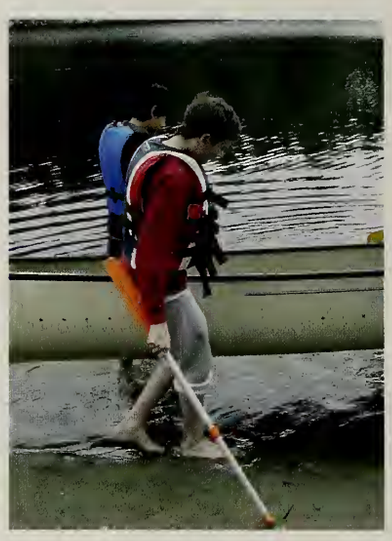

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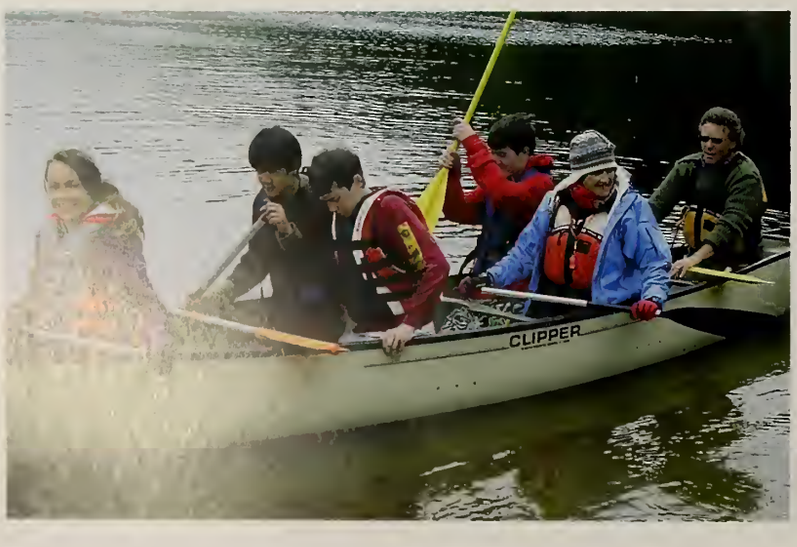

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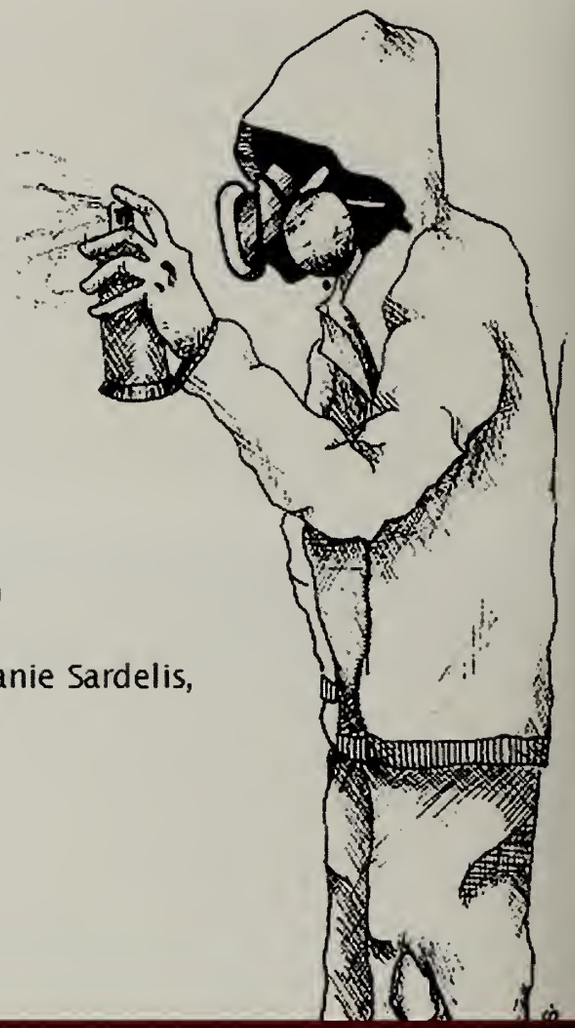

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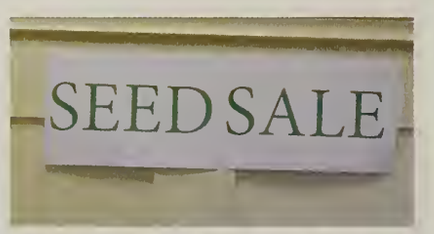

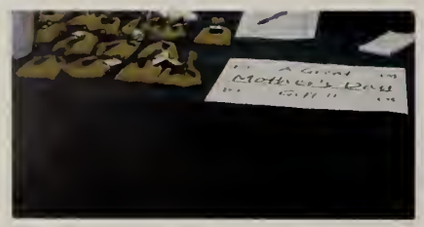

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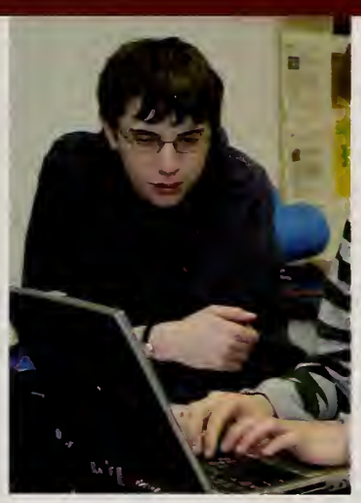

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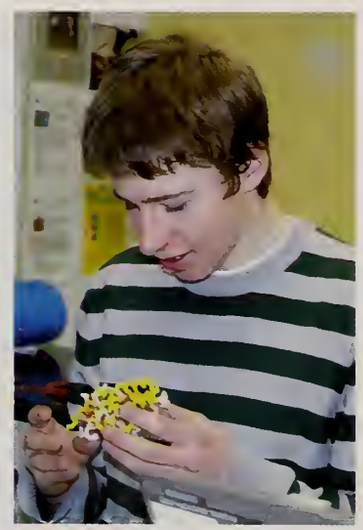

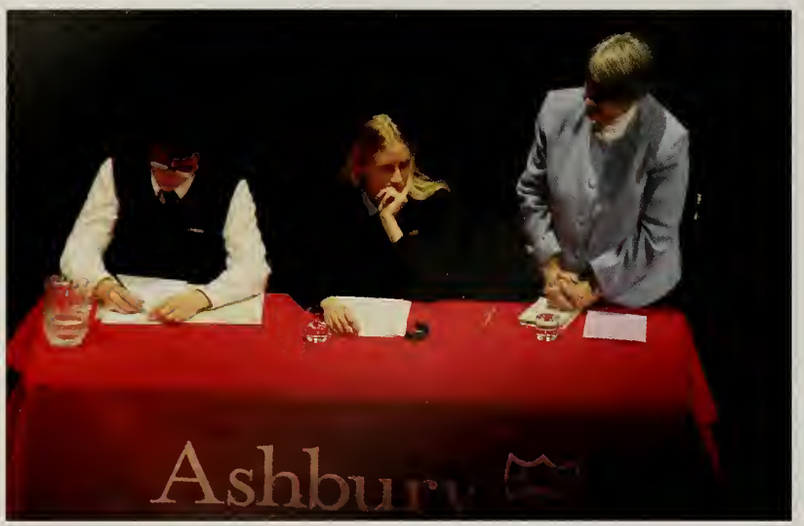

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Middle row: Ms. Novick, Angela Liang, Scotia Seto, Katherine Berks, Marina Noskova, Michael Kourlas, Christina Sfeir, Nicola Ostrom, Ms. Lewicki
Back row: Emma Benjaminson, Kristian Ardley, Liam Faught, Adam Burk, Henry Fieglar, Julia Dales, Josh Levitan, Sarah Burrows, Adil Abdulla, Maja Kunstelj, Nika Kunstelj, Caitlin O'Neill, Mr. Middleton

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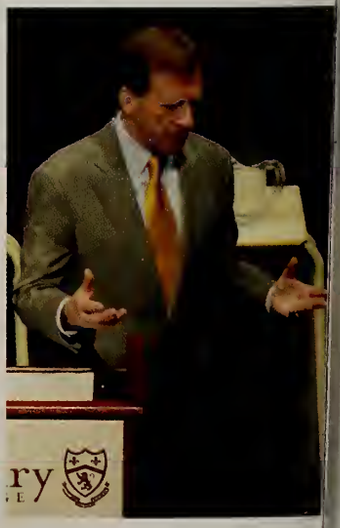

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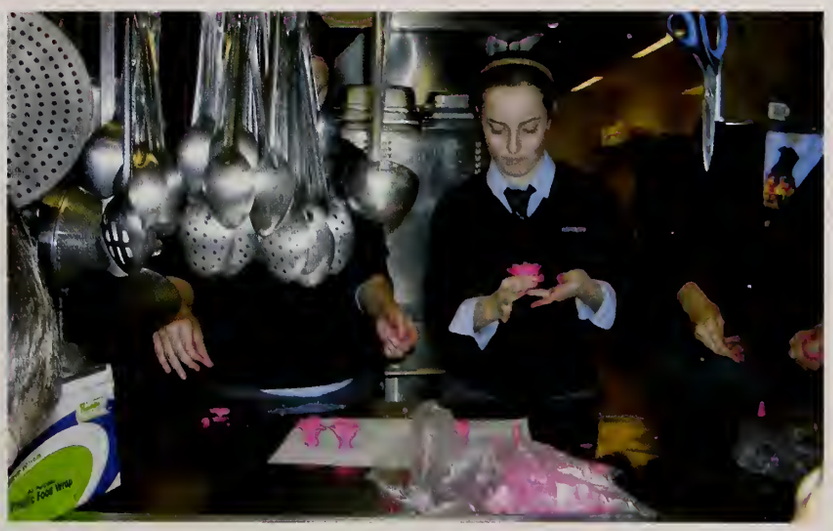

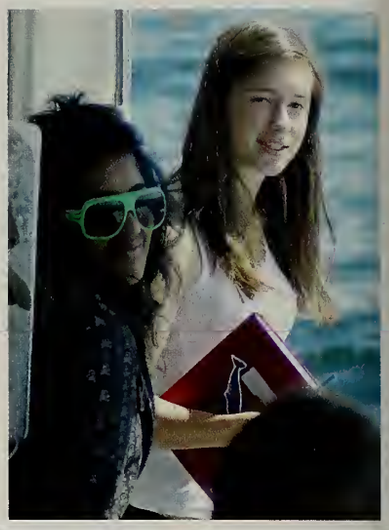

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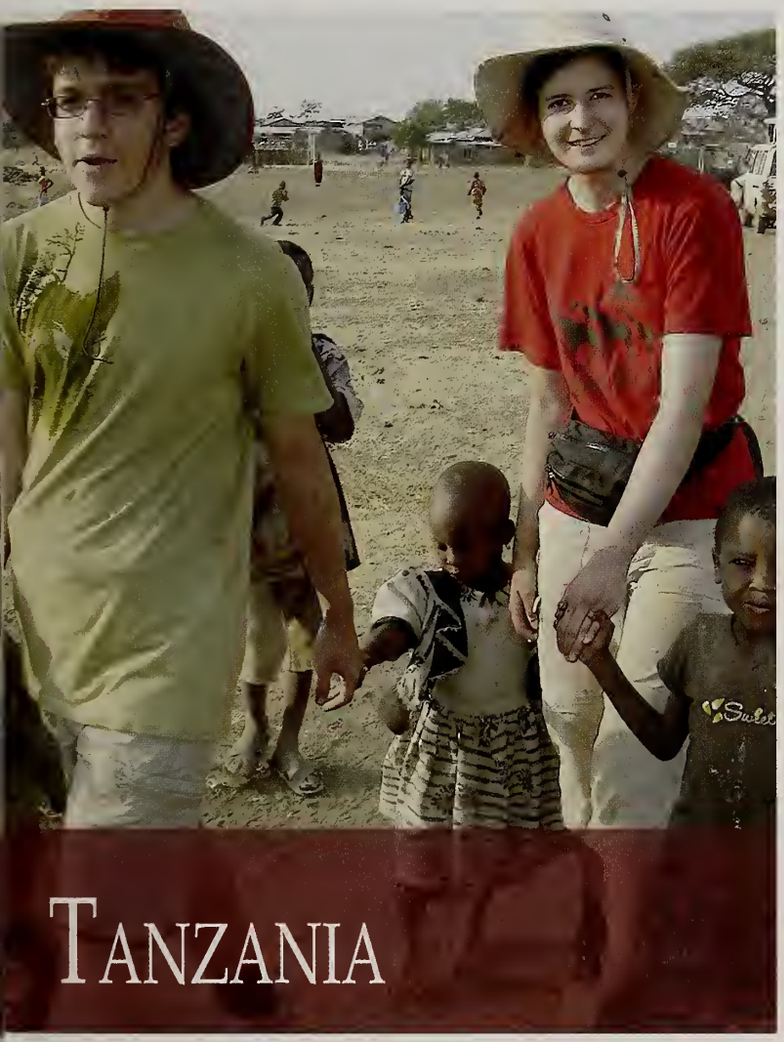

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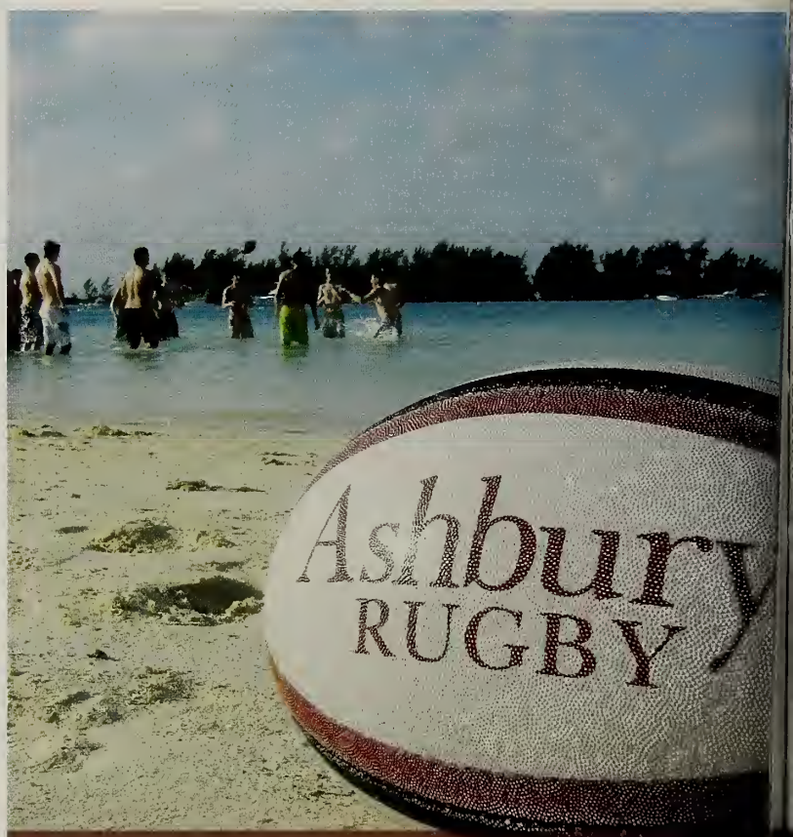

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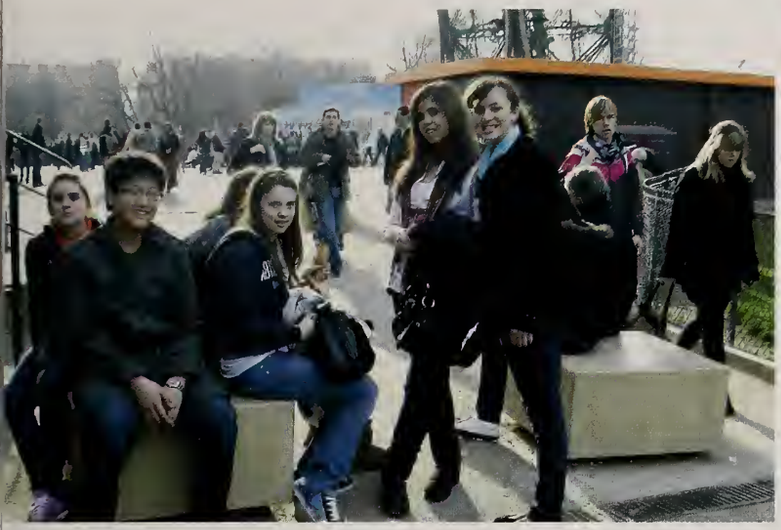

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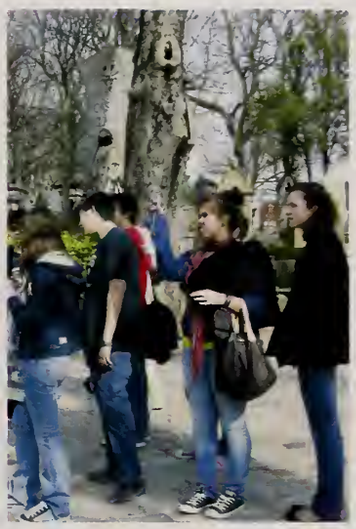

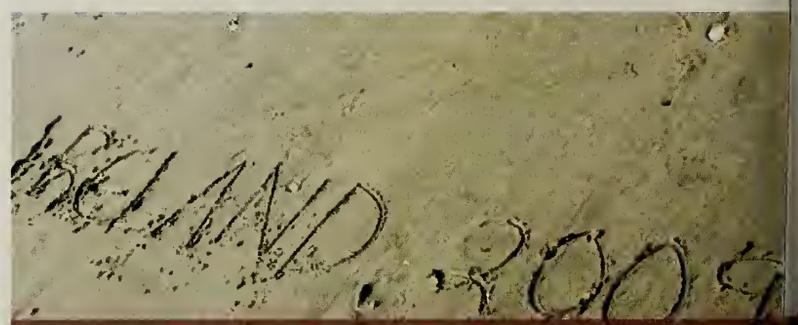

Ireland - Girls' Rugby

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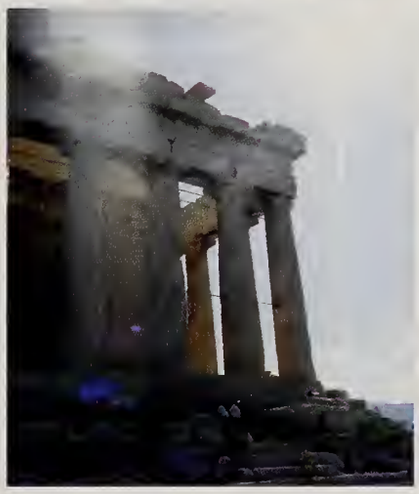

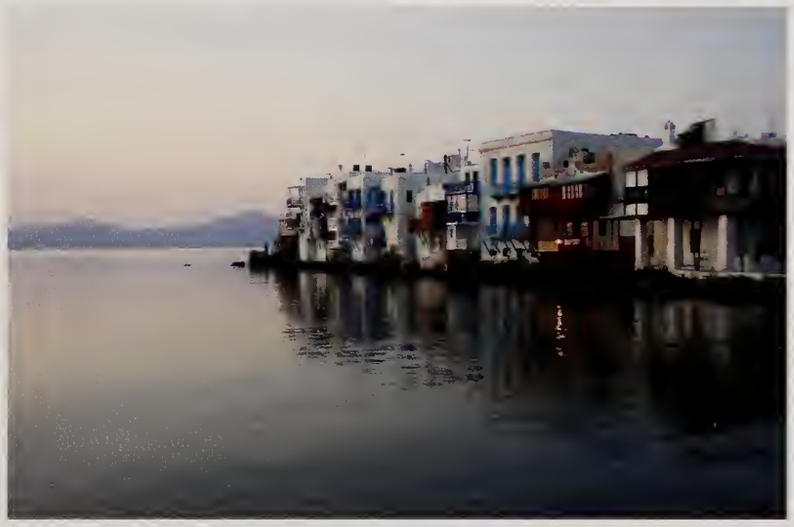

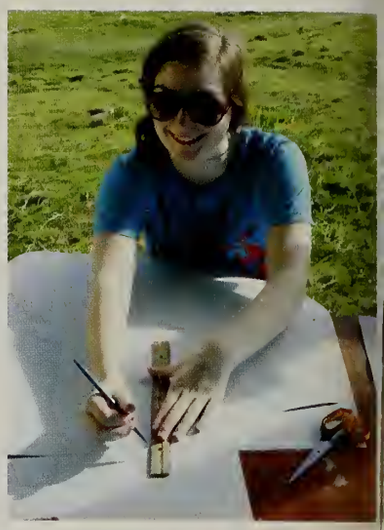

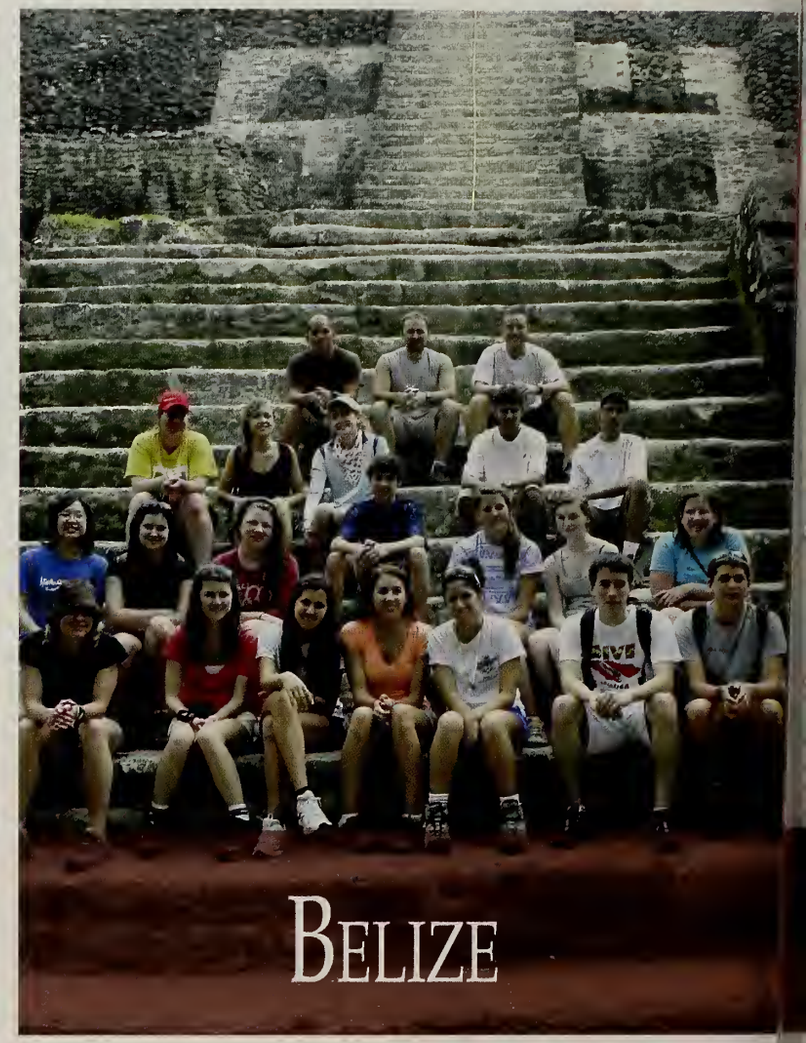
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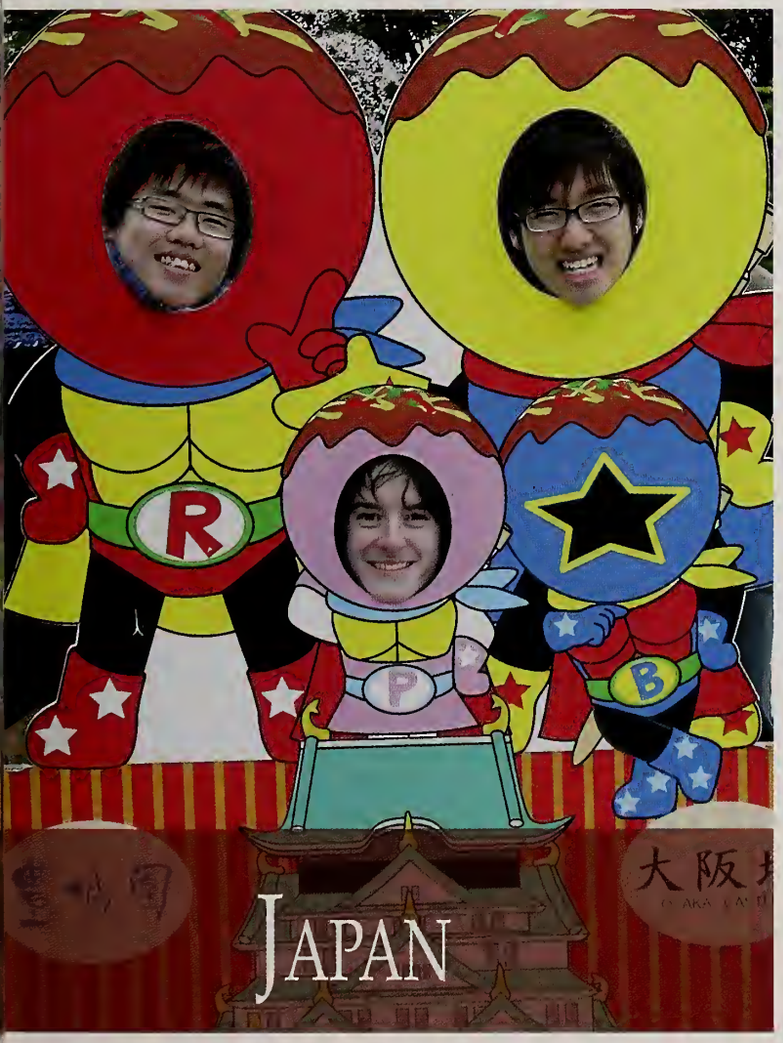
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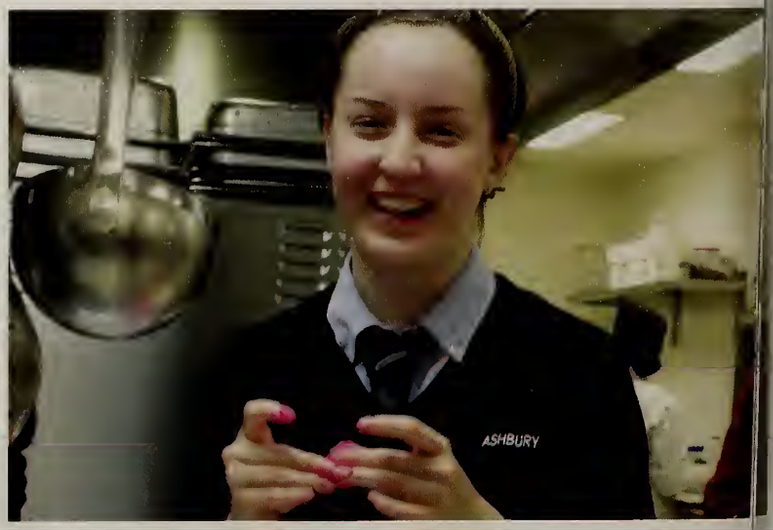
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Closing Ceremonies

Sports Awards

JUNIOR FOOTBALL
THE SCOUT TEAM TROPHY - Ben Ashley
THE BOSWELL TROPHY - MIP -Cheng Shao
THE MACFARLANE TROPHY - MVL - Alex MacDonald
THE O'BRIEN TROPHY - MVP - Offense -John Funston , MVP - Defense - Andrew McIntyre

SENIOR FOOTBALL
THE TINY HERMAN TROPHY - MIP - Matthew Walters
THE STRATTON MEMORIAL TROPHY - MVL -- Offensive - Matthew Milligan
- Defensive - Andreas Lightstone

THE LEE SNELLING TROPHY - MVP - Conor Robertson
KEN GUARISCO AWARD - LEADERSHIP IN FOOTBALL - Amir Alsaffar
JOHN BIEWALD MEMORIAL TROPHY - CONTRIBUTION TO FOOTBALL - Maggie Cogger-Orr & Colin Laroche

JUNIOR BOYS' SOCCER
THE CLARK CUP - MIP - - Jonah Nadler
THE PEMBERTON TROPHY - MVP - Cameron Davis& Andrew Mansfield

SENIOR BOYS' SOCCER
THE R.H. PERRY TROPHY - MIP - Hamza Ait Mohamed
THE R. J. ANDERSON TROPHY - MVP - John Wright
ARVID PAASONEN TROPHY - Kai Cheng &John Conway

JUNIOR GIRLS' BASKETBALL
MIP - Ruth Arnett
MVP - Kat Elvidge

SENIOR GIRLS' BASKETBALL
THE H.G. BATE TROPHY - MIP - Celyna Arnold
THE WILLIS O'CONNOR TROPHY - MVP - Charlotte Ashe

GIRLS' FIELD HOCKEY
MIP - Laura Kramer &Morgan O'Farrell
MVP - Julia E
CONTRIBUTION TO FIELD HOCKEY - Marisa Ashley & Anita E

TENNIS
MIP - Anthony Caragianis
MVP - Miriam Petzold
THE WRIGHT CUP FOR CONTRIBUTION TO TENNIS - Emily Baxter

CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING
MIR - Ale Aguilar Sprowls/Jamie Rimer (F) & Zach Healy (M)
MVR - Salena Cui (F) & Tait Becke (M)

Sports Awards

UNIOR BOYS' BASKETBALL
THE DEVINE CUP - MIP - Benji Oppenheimer
THE RHODES TROPHY - MVP - Tim Lo& Robbie Ashe

SENIOR BOYS' BASKETBALL
SNELGROVE TROPHY - MIP - Tom Wiener
MCNAULTY TROPHY - MVP - Matt McLean & Jean Pierre-Charles
BOB GRAY MEMORIAL TROPHY - CONTRIBUTION TO BASKETBALL - Ben Ogonek & Daniel Goubran

CONTACT HOCKEY
.S. IRVIN TROPHY - MIP -
FRASER TROPHY - MVP -
STABLEFORD CUP FOR CONTRIBUTION TO HOCKEY -
DONALD RIFF TROPHY - SUPPORT OF THE HOCKEY PROGRAM -

UNIOR GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL
MIP - Katrine Lightstone
MVP - Julia Fottinger & Celyna Arnold

SENIOR GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL
CARLING CUP - MIP - Heather Dunlap
FLEMING CUP - MVP - Laurie Biewald & Nicole Uher
COACHES CUP FOR CONTRIBUTION TO VOLLEYBALL - Nikola Ruddy

ALPINE SKIING
MIS - Tory Milne L1, Stephen Seibel L2, Nick Scrivens L1
MVS - Gen Rud L1, Sarah Burrows L1, Peter Leenan L1 & Mark Charette L2
MCDONALD - HUNTER CUP FOR CONTRIBUTION TO SKIING - Alex Fazal & Colin LaRoche

NORDIC SKIING
MINS - Kaitlin Kharas
MVNS -Jeremy Selwyn

BADMINTON
MIP - Maja Kunstelj & Matt Sasseville
MVP - Eric Huang & Cameron Davis
CONTRIBUTION TO BADMINTON - Andrew Foody

JUNIOR BOYS' RUGBY
MIB - Freddy Nguyen
MVB - Malcolm Mackenzie
MIF - Tim Lo & Mark Charette
MVF - Ryan Aimers & Alex Macdonld

SENIOR BOYS' RUGBY
MIB - Moritz von Cramm
MIF - Matthew Walters & Jacob Jackson
THE MACOUN TROPHY - MVB - Brendan McGover & MVF - Amir Alsaffar
THE JIM HUMPHRIES TROPHY FOR CONTRIBUTION TO RUGBY OVER THE YEARS - Maggie Cogger-Orr & Jon Weinstein

GIRLS' RUGBY
MIB - Sonja Moroz
MIF - Keely Dobranski
MVP - Laurie Biewald

JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS' SOCCER
MIP - Laila Murray & Maggie Zhu
MVP - Meredith Allen

VARSITY GIRLS' SOCCER
MIP - Mary-Liz Power & Charlotte Connolly
MVP - Elizabeth Foody

TRACK AND FIELD
MIP - Duncan Lurie (Midget), Julia Fottinger (Junior) & Norbey Putt-Ryan (Junior)
MVP - Cindy Lui (Midget) & Melissa Riding (Junior)
M.D.S. NORDION CUP - Nikola Ruddy
MILLER - RESNICK CUP - CONTRIBUTION TO TRACK AND FIELD OVER THE YEARS -John Wright

BASEBALL
MIP - Dowon Kim
MVP - Josh Levitan

ROWING
MIO - Shawn Miller & Genevieve Rud
EVANS CUP - MVP - Matt Sasseville

JOHN "TIGER" CONNELLY AWARD - Nikola Ruddy

Front Row (L to R): Christine Soong, Stephanie Sardelis, Maggie Cogger-Orr, Laurie Biewald, Nikola Ruddy, Charlotte Mackenzie, Caroline Garel-Jones, Jane Scholes, Larissa Fulop, Sophia Lal, Hayley Arnold, Sarah Corkery, Elena Clark, Kate Portner Gartke, Jenna Greenberg, Sarah Burrows, Julia Dales.
Second Row: Clara Szullo, Pinar Ozmizrak, Genevieve Rud, Chelsea Johnston, Katherine Belley, Joshua Logue, Robert Kelly, Peter Leenen, Andreas Lightstone, Tiffany Carroll, Julia Boshyk, Katherine McDonald, Julianne Hjartarson, Stella Job, Julia Taucer.
Back Row: Anthony Caragianis, Jeremy Ouseley, Adam Burk, Sarah Shaikhali, Marisa Ashley.

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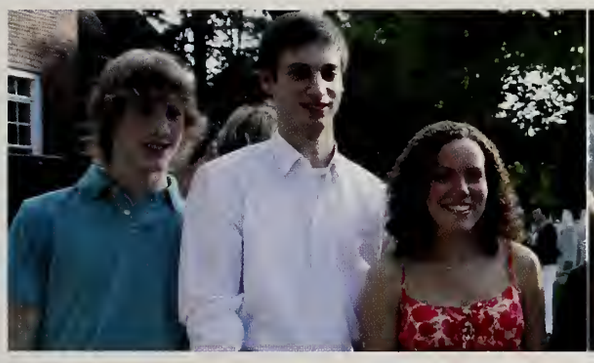

Headmaster's Reception

Graduation Dance

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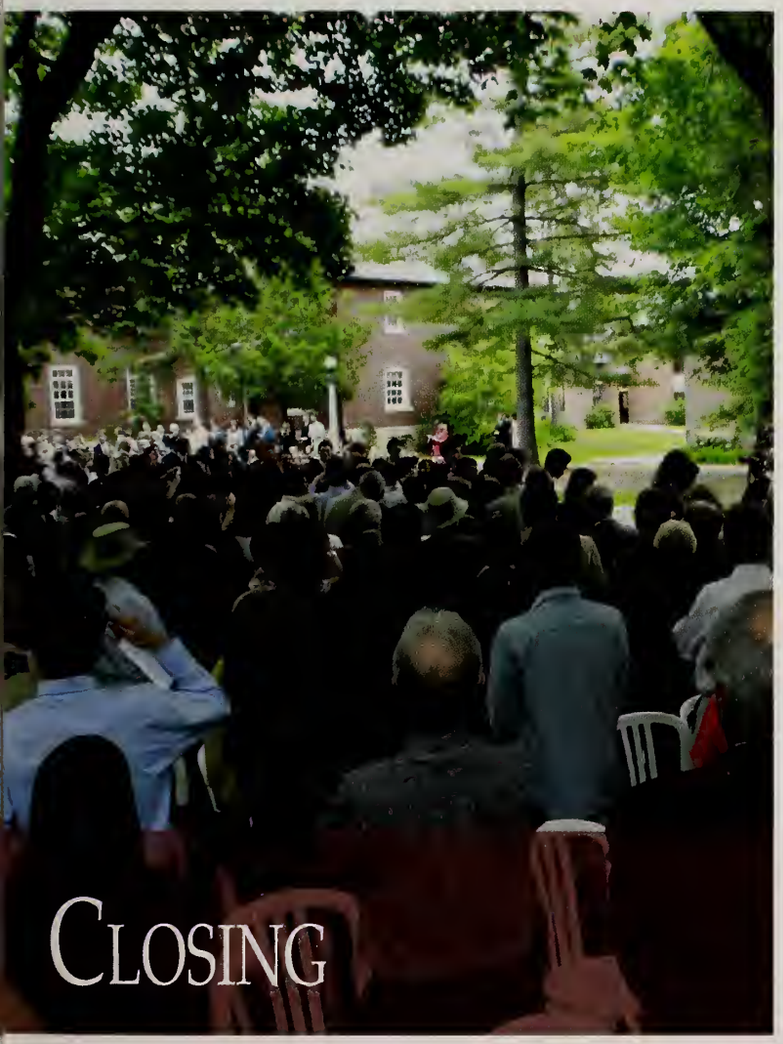
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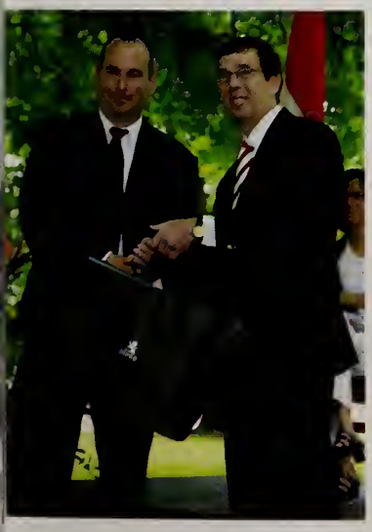

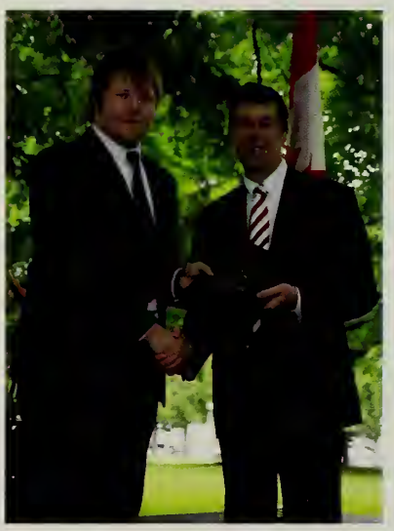

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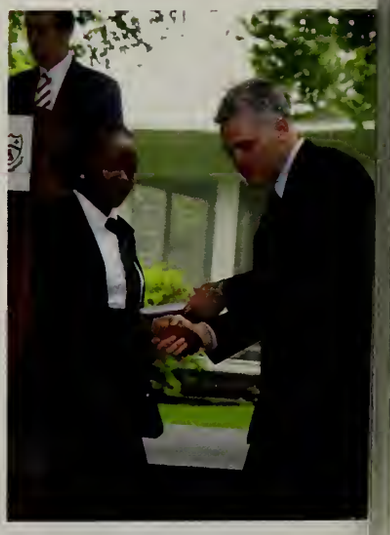


SUBJECT: CAREER EVALUATION – HUGH PENTON

TO: N. Jowett, S. McCready

You have been chosen to complete the following evaluation of Mr. Hugh Penton based on your experience with him as colleagues at Ashbury College. N. Jowett was Mr. Penton's head of English for close to fifteen years while S. McCready is the current head in that department. It is felt that this span of time should prove to be a sound basis for assessing Mr. Penton's progress as a member of the Ashbury faculty and a credible indicator of his chances for future success.

AREAS OF CONCERN	COMMENTS:	
	N. Jowett	Sheri McCready
Attendance	- ever present	Absence is rare
Punctuality	- always	Not an issue
Lesson Planning	- no evident need	It's all in his head...
Dress Code	- never seen in jeans	Battered briefcase a distraction
Bulletin Boards	- dead historical figures	Dead historical figures
Discipline	- no incidents to report	Not an issue
Rapport - Students	- quietly inspiring	Influence is immeasurable
Rapport - Colleagues	- reassuringly inspiring	Influence is remarkable
Use of Language	- brilliant: none better	Exemplary!
Choice of Texts	- Middlemarch; Rebecca	Middlemarch, Rebecca
Use of Technology	- James Bond, westerns	Bond; Westerns
	N. Jowett	S. McCready

RECOMMENDATIONS: It is our considered opinion that Mr. Hugh Penton has quite ~~consistently~~ demonstrated his mastery of this particular phase of his career. We feel confident that he is ready to leave this institution to realize more of his dreams. He has demonstrated all of the prerequisite competencies to follow his heroes into counter-espionage, settling the Wild West, or abridging a new version of Middlemarch . He leaves with the appreciation and sincere gratitude of Ashburians past and present.

Mr. Penton

Mr. Penton's last class and last minutes teaching at Ashbury College after 41 years of dedicated and exceptional teaching.
June 8th, 2009

You will be missed.

RETIREMENTS

Mrs. Cadieux

More than twenty years after joining Ashbury, Roberta Cadieux is putting down the pen and closing the computer files. Over these years she has guided Ashbury students as they prepared presentations, completed homework and finished research projects. A skilled academic librarian, Roberta always made student needs a priority. As the sources of information have changed from print to electronic she continued to ensure the students had the best available. Her Grade Seven Research Skills programme gave many young Ashbury students a fine start in the world of research.When Roberta joined the staff, the library was located in what is now the Senior Art Room. She was involved in the move to the Molson Library, helping to plan and design the present library. She has guided the building of the library catalogue and ensured it has met her high standards. Where once she worked with catalogue cards filed in drawers she leaves working strictly on-line. Throughout her tenure Roberta has supported the Ashbury arts programme, rarely missing a theatre production, musical or art show. Always behind the desk by 8:00 am she was ready for the students and their questions. Accompanying the students on several school trips, Roberta reminisces fondly of the adventures of travelling with a group of teenagers. In spring and fall she loved her cycle to work and this spring she shared her joy of cycling with the grade seven and eight students. Roberta continues to ride for charity each spring in the Tour Nortel now Tour CN. As Roberta moves on to the joys of retirement she will be fondly remembered by the staff and students. Of all the many ways she has contributed to the Ashbury community, it is her caring and friendship for her colleagues that will be most remembered.

Back Row: John Szlazek, Shalini Suresh, Tory Milne, Mrs. Rust
Front Row: Ms. Wright, Christine Soong, Stephanie Wong, Dorsa Alaviferd, SangHa Park, Patick Norton
Absent: Alex Bleeker, Josh Logue

This year the focus throughout the yearbook was CHOICES at Ashbury. From academics to sports, co-curriculars to communit service, ice breaker picnic to Violet, this has been a fantastic year. Events like the Musical, Back to the 80's, the Drama productior Acts of God, Spirit Week, Musical concerts, the Art show, International Day, interhouse events, limbo, pictionary, to the man sports and co-curriculars give all of you many choices. The yearbook team of Patrick Norton, Christine Soong, SangHa Parl John Szlazek, Shalini Suresh, Tory Milne, Stephanie Wong, Dorsa Alaviferd, Alex Bleeker, Josh Logue, Mrs. Rust, Ms. Wright an the many other contributors of pictures, have created a yearbook that you can all look at in years to come and be proud that yo were a participant.

YEARBOOK

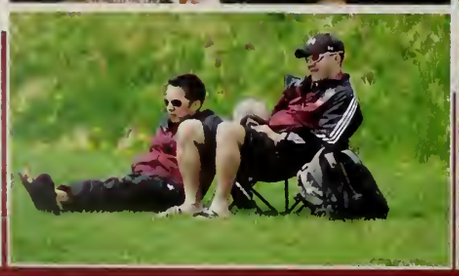
Junior School

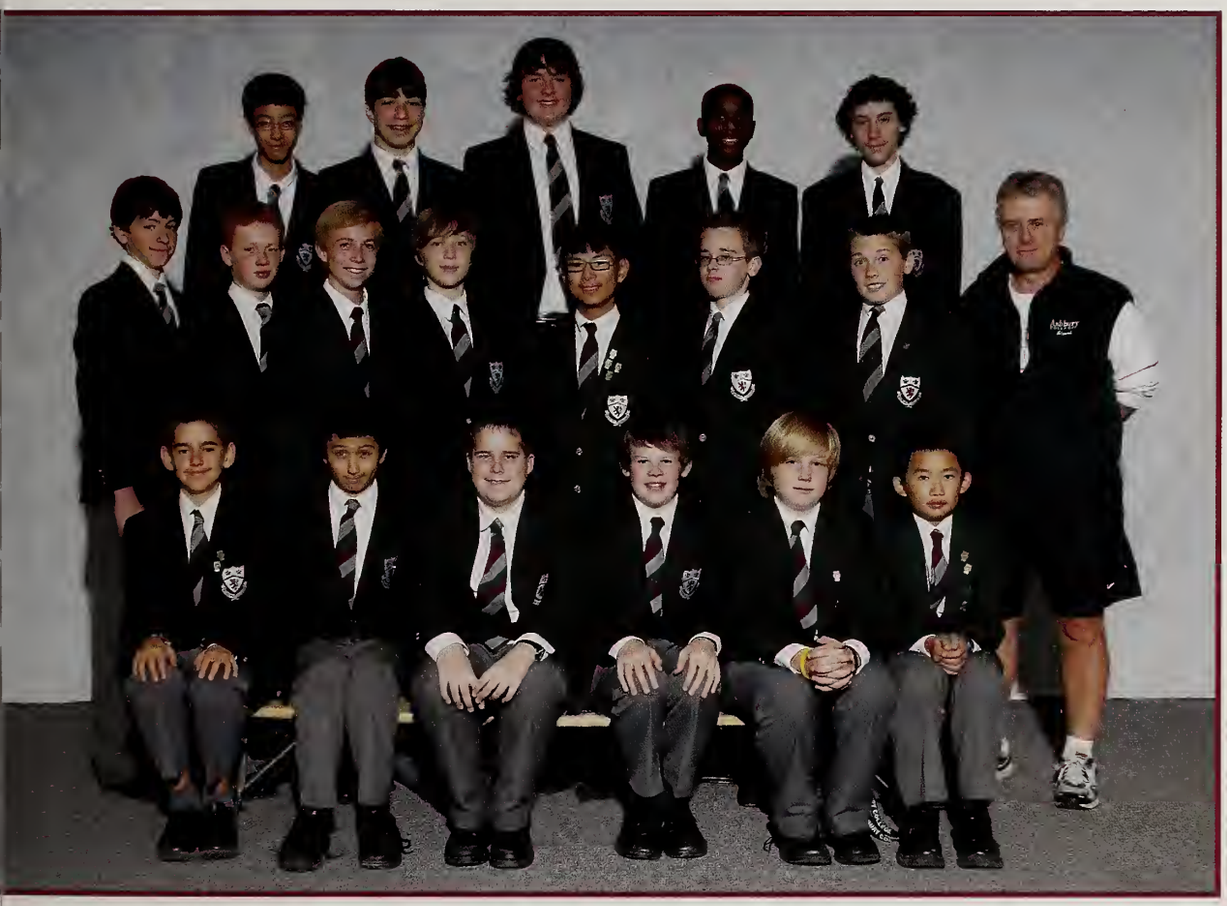
Back Row
Mr. Tom Street
Mr. Guy Valentine
Mr. Michael King
Mr. Ian McKinnon
Mr. Stephen Penton
Mr. Alex Menzies

Middle Row
Mr. Jeremy Pottinger
Mrs. Elisabeth Arbuckle
Mrs. Ingrid Boyd
Mrs. Sarah-Jane Harriz
Mrs. Cathy Hodgins
Mme Louis Perrault

Front Row
Mrs. Karen Powell
Ms Alana Lobb
Mr. Brian Storosko
Ms Kendal Young
Mrs. Leslie Lahey

Absent
Ms Jennifer Boyd
Ms Sheila Gragg
Mrs. Amy Greig
Mr. John Merritt





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Alexander Carr
Kyle O'Hara
Sean Ostaszewski

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John Marin
Connor Campbell
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Justin Yan
Erich Mrak
Mitchell MacDonald
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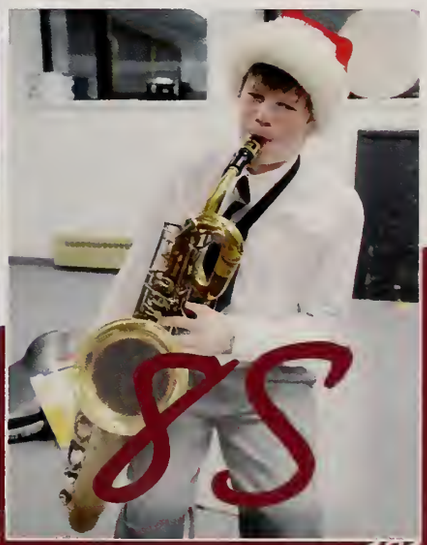

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Marcus Sinnhuber
Johannes Sinnhuber
Charles St. Louis

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Michael Sklivas
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Avik Jain
Alexander Cohen
Irving Casabon-Sosa
Kefir Sanders
Mr. S. Penton

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Jens Lapointe-Rohde
Nicholas Lupul
Justin Novick-Faille
Harrison McGuire
Ameen Syed
Eric Parizeau
Thomas Gow

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Charles- Albert Asselin
Michael Rhodes
Eric Znotins
Kyle Pedersen
Kevin Vuckovic

Middle Row

Ms J. Boyd
Nicholas Newport
Daniel Hovey
Christian St. Louis
Jacob Jammes
Fraser Hill
Maxwell Laurin
Ryan Hartvich

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John Venner
Partick Cameron
Michael Solomon
Alec Hollister-de Melo
Liam Timmins
Vaughan Rawes

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Colin Malone
Michael Konzuk
Liam Murray
Mathieu Cote
Matt Orr
Sasha Stojanovic
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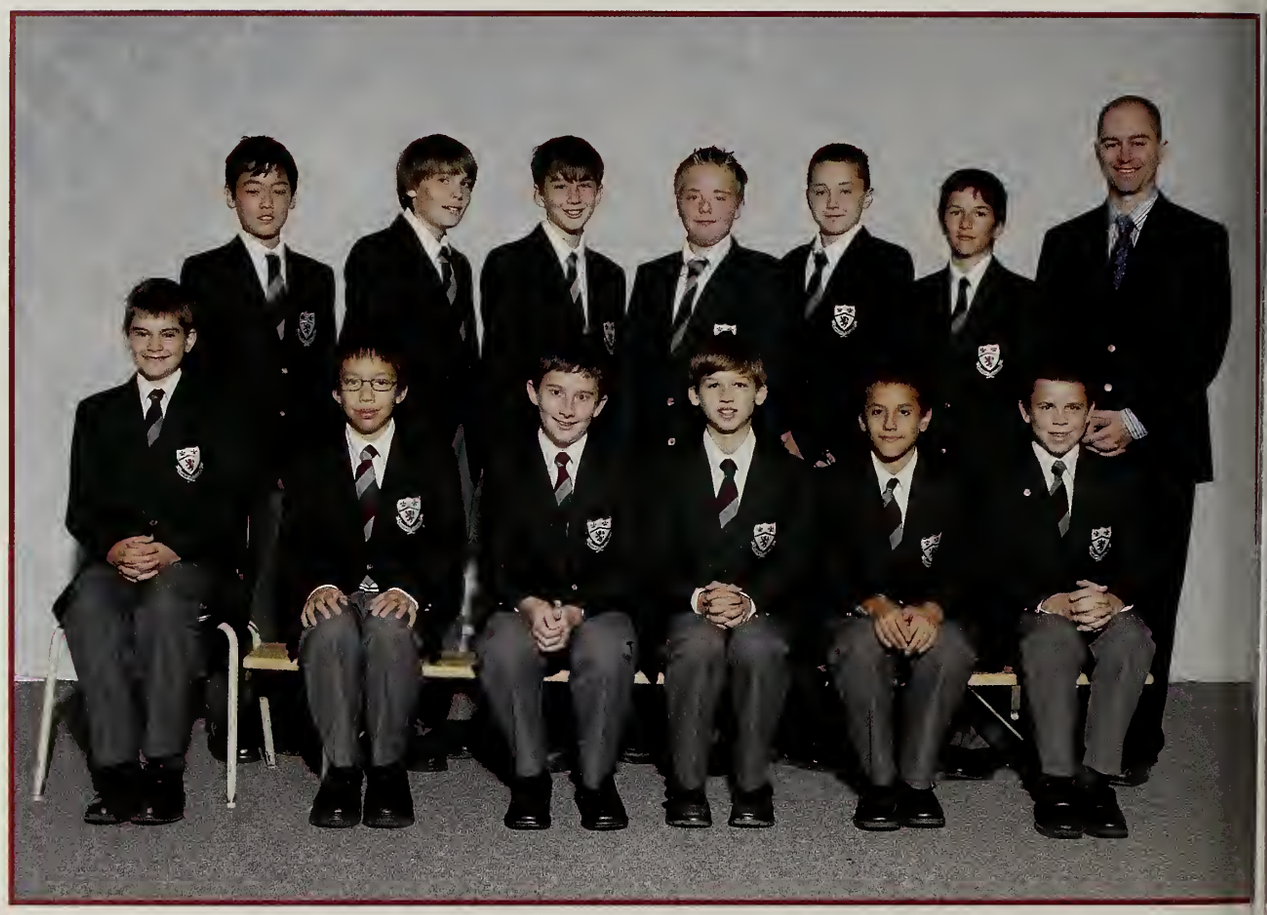

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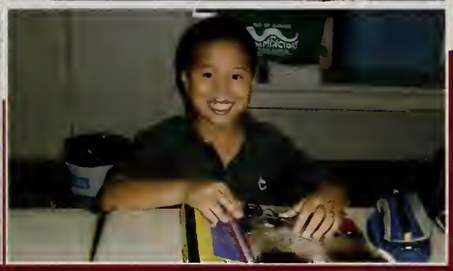

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Jonathan Kamel
Mrs. A. Greig

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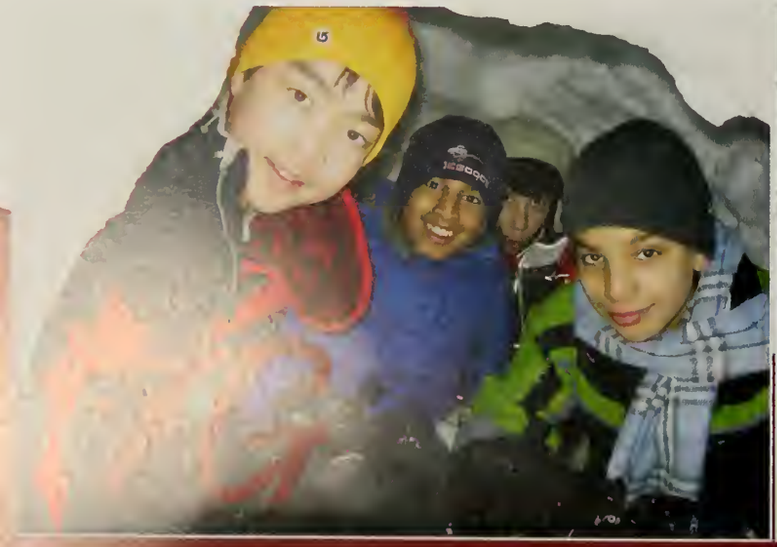
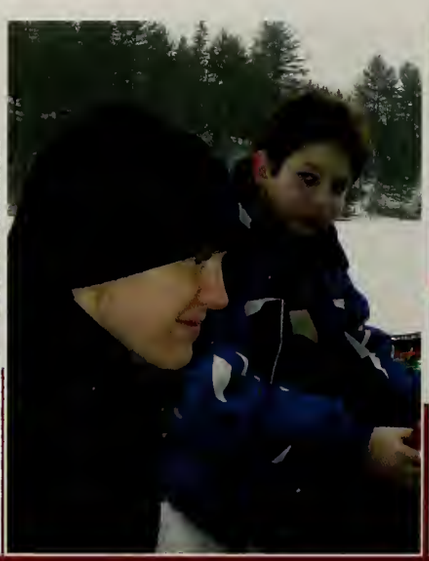

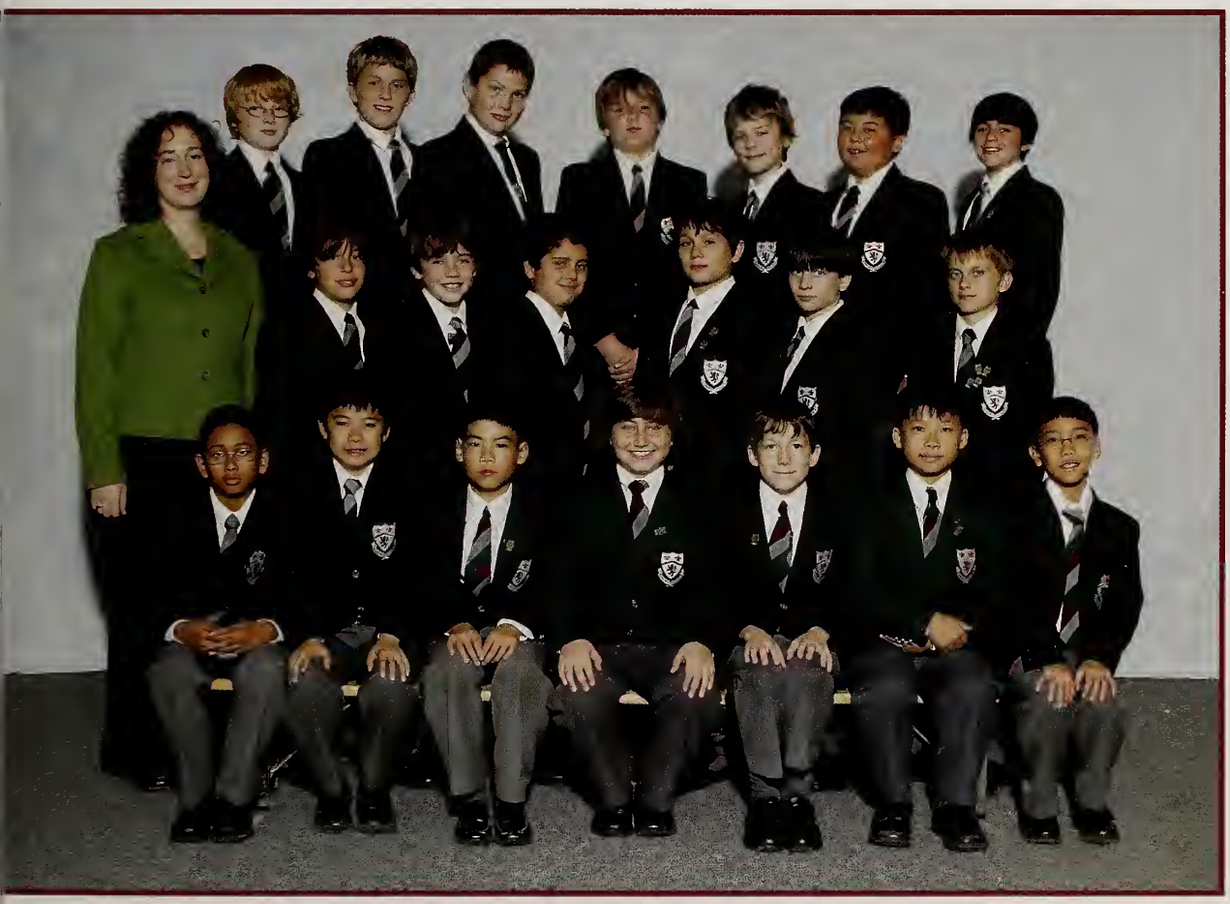

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Colin Zed
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Max Robinson

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Dang- Quang Truong

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Mrs. L. Lahey
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Jake Gay
Bennett Bleeker
Jack Macmillan
Phillip Murray
Mr. G. Valentine

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Justin Huang
Paul Rodrigues
Jeffrey Pelletier
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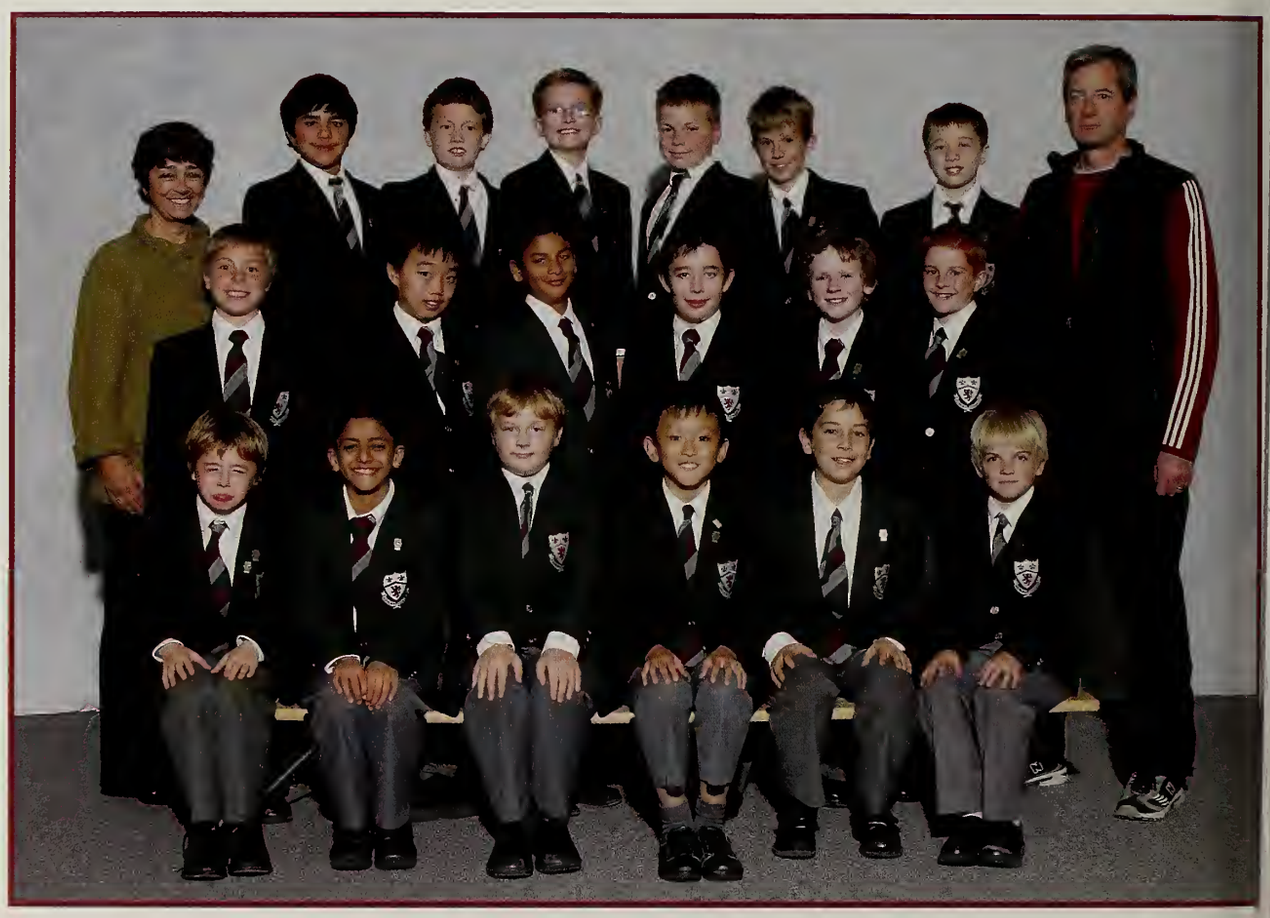

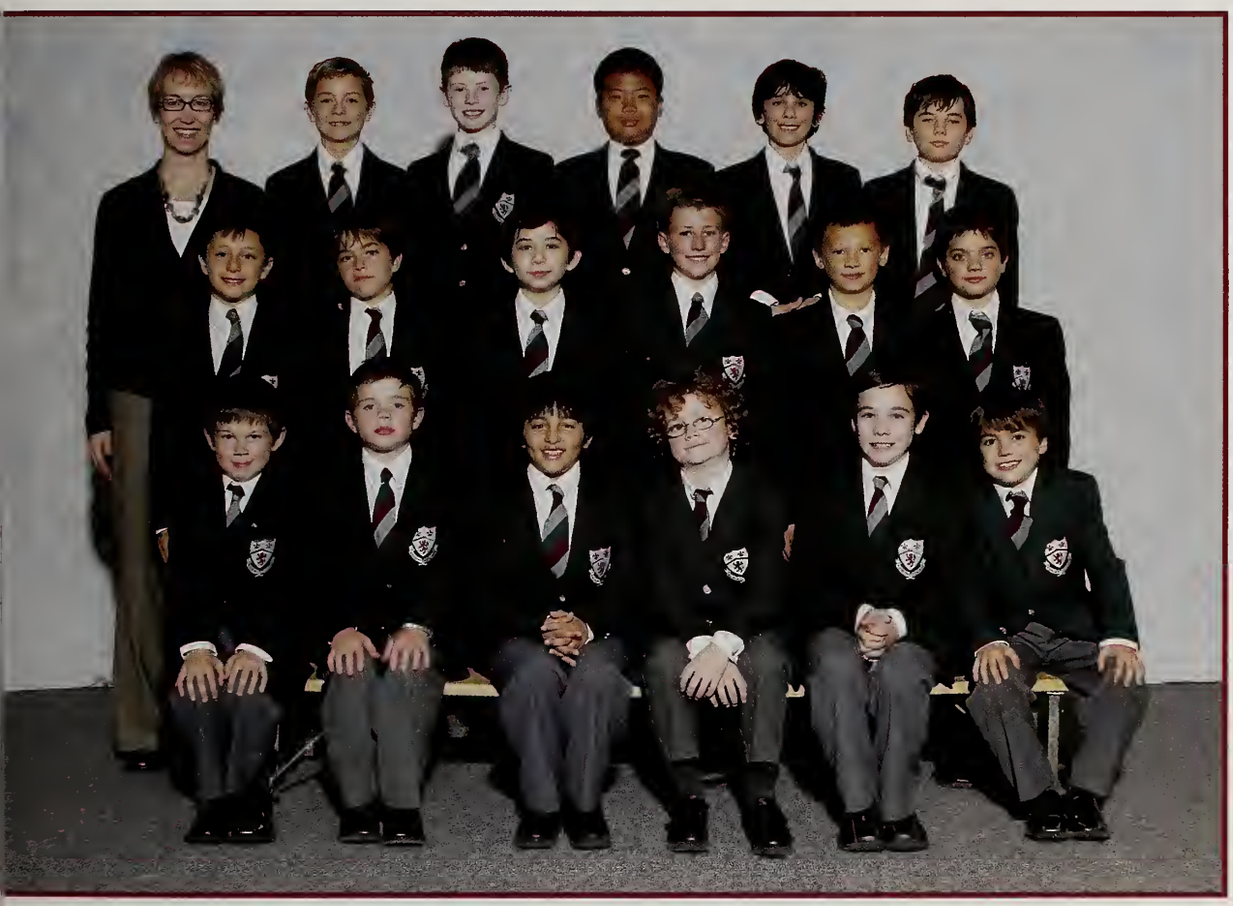

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Harry Sanders
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Julian Yau
Gianni Di Girolamo

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Gavin Frodsham
Cameron Butterfield
Veraj Paruthi
Thomas Montgomery
Connor McSweeney
Aidan Timmins

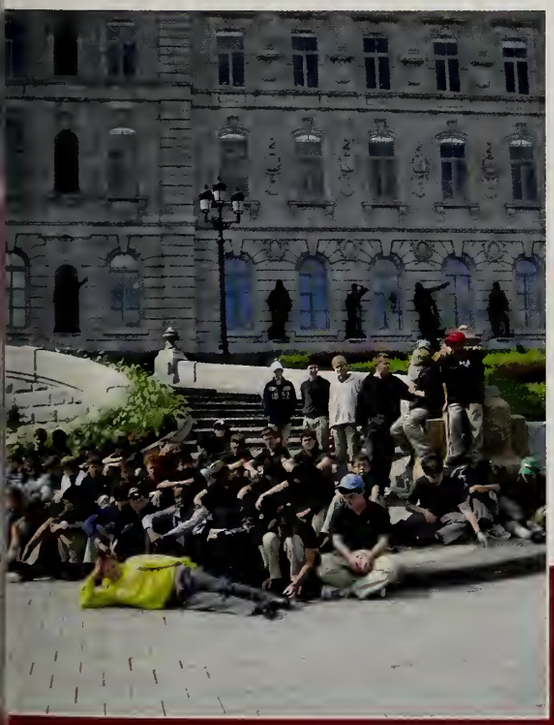
Absent: Ashwin Sharma

Camp Otterdale

Once again, the boys in grade seven had a wonderful opportunity to get to know each other at Camp Otterdale. The weather cooperated and the boys played games, hiked, presented skits and swam. They enjoyed a bonfire at the end of each day, where they told stories and sang songs. Many thanks to the talented team of Senior School students who provided their leadership to enrich the Otterdale experience: Nick Scrivens, Steve Koutsomitopoulos, Zach Legault, Olivia Froislie, Haley Abugov, Elizabeth Foody, Rachel Weinstein.

Quebec City

Les élèves de 8e année ont commencé l'année scolaire par ce qui est devenu une coutume depuis de nombreuses années déjà au collège Ashbury: le voyage à Québec! Du 8 au 10 septembre, 47 élèves ont pu découvrir cette merveilleuse ville dans une atmosphère de franche camaraderie. Outre les nombreuses balades et visites à l'intérieur des murs, ils ont pu admirer les chutes Montmorency et la basilique de Ste-Anne de Beaupré. Au village Huron, ils ont été initiés à certaines coutumes de la nation Wendat. Au musée des abeilles, les jeunes se sont familiarisés avec le monde de ces étonnants insectes. Un moment mémorable pour tous fut le repas à la cabane à sucre animé par un musicien-chanteur. Même si parfois, le soleil nous a fait défaut, l'enthousiasme des jeunes était à son comble à tout moment!



Fall Olympics

Excellent sportsmanship, terrific team spirit, camaraderie, and great weather prevailed once again during our annual Fall Olympics. The boys were quick to take up the challenge of this house competition and their energy and enthusiam never seemed to waver. In the end, the junior Goblins emerged victorious and the senior Goblins tied the Dragons. The race for the Pitfield Shield began in earnest on this event-filled October day.

United Way Run

Running, be it in the halls (grade 5 !), the field, or the gym, is something at which we excel. Our weekly block jogs really paid off for two of our annual fall activities. Through the generous contributions of our friends and neighbours and the running prowess of our boys, the Junior School raised $4300.00 to support the United Way Campaign.

Grades 4, 5 and 6 had terrific success in the OAISA Pumpkin Run. We had a first place finish and several runners placed in the top five in their age categories. The weather held and, despite a few bumps and bruises, spirits were high.

Pumpkin Run

Soccer Success

The soccer programme enjoyed another successful year. In all, over 80 students were able to pull on an Ashbury uniform in interscholastic matches, putting their skill and effort on display. The U-12s hosted two teams from LCC, traveled to Montreal and Kanata and were undefeated in the OISAA tournament. The grade 7 and 8 developmental team played some great soccer in exhibition games. The U-13s had a most successful trip to the CAIS National tournament in Toronto - winning the Silver Division championship. The U-14s enjoyed a terrific season, beginning with a tournament win at BCS and ending with an OISAA league championship.

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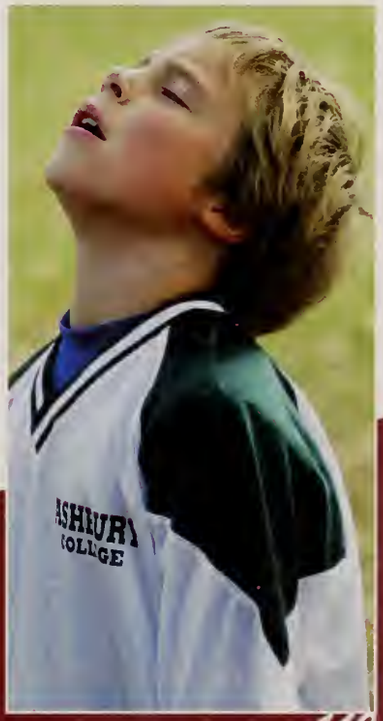
CHAMPIONS
2008 / 09

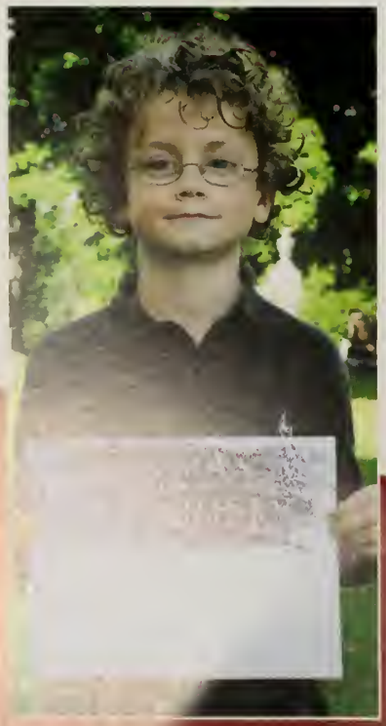


Hallowe'en Horrors

Count Dracula! Count Dracula!
Sucking blood like Miracula.
Is he here? Is he there?
Is he biting through your hair?
Scaring little kids tonight
Showing no fear in gloomy night.
Count Dracula! Count Dracula!
Scaring kids like Miracula.

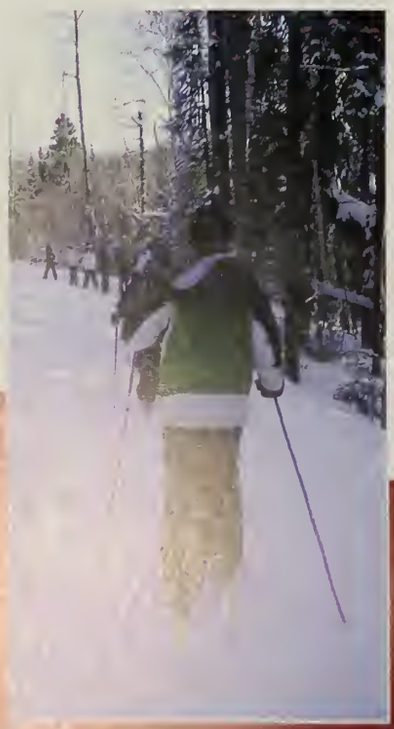
Cole Cooper 4B

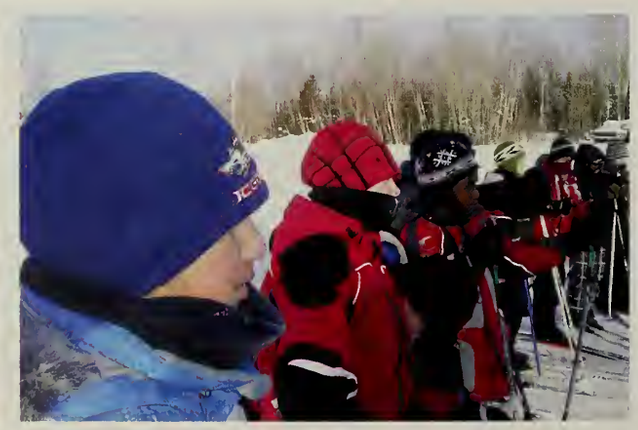
Fabulous Fall



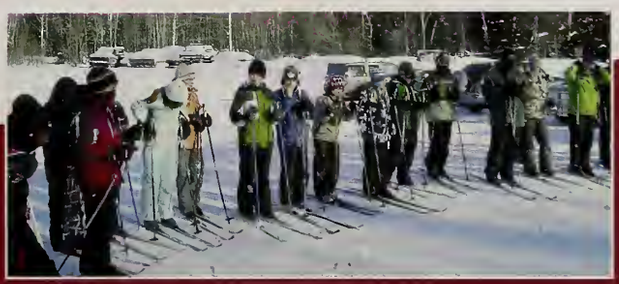
St. Donat

As the temperature dipped down and down, a courageous group of 30 grade 7s bundled up and headed towards the slopes of Mont Garceau and the town of St. Donat. Led by Monsieur Pottinger, Madame Harriz and Monsieur Storosko they were ready for their voyage français. In between half days of skiing were activities such as la raquette, le ballon chinois, l'enquête, une visite en ville et la glissade. Leur chanson d'une légende québecoise was (very appropriately) about the famous strongman Louis Cyr and his incredible feats of strength. Le petit déjeuner et le souper were served in the restaurant and if the boys wanted to eat they needed to order en français! Evenings were filled with presentations, talent shows, dances and music. Each night the boys quickly fell asleep and dreamed of tarte au sucre and of our daily adventures.



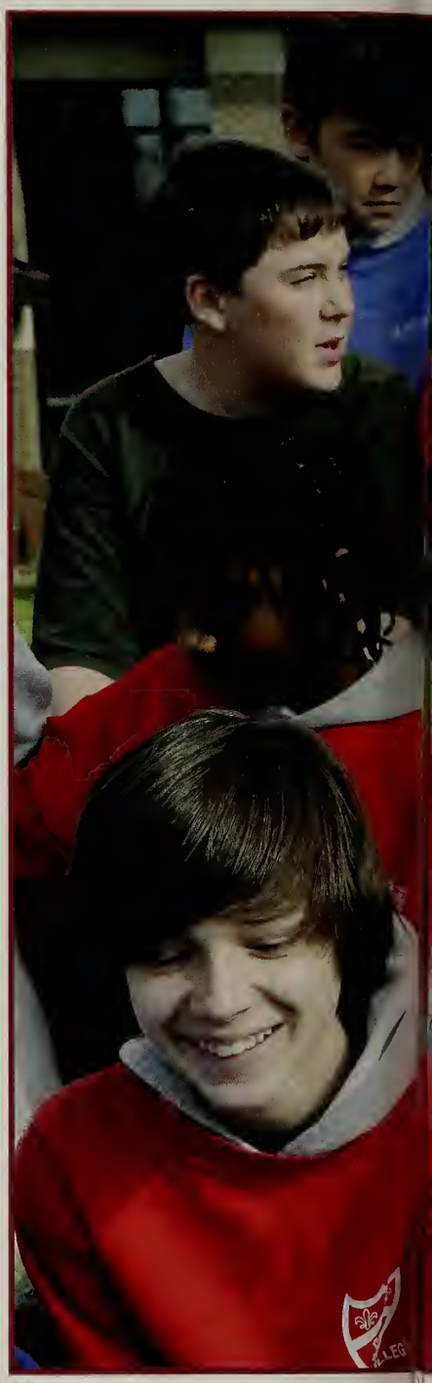


Garou



Houses

It came right down to the wire once again. The June track meet made the difference, for in the end, only four points separated first and second place. This year, for the second year in a row, the Dragons won the Pitfield Shield. It was a great battle though - sports, academic achievement, public speaking, poetry reading, Shakespeare recitation, the Geo Challenge, and See Ds were all tabulated in order to determine the winning house. Well done, Dragons.



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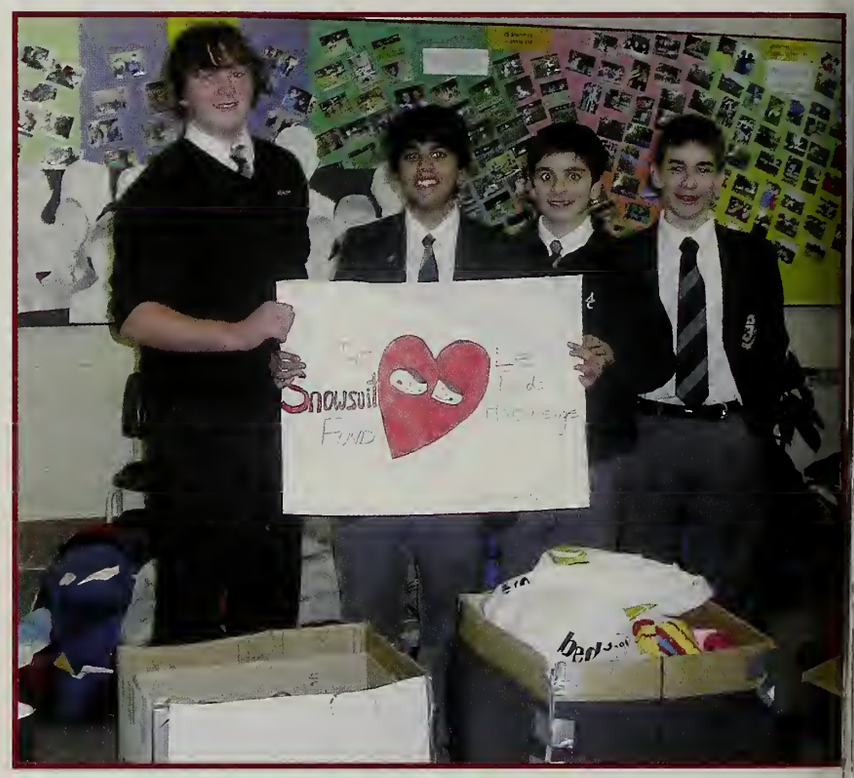
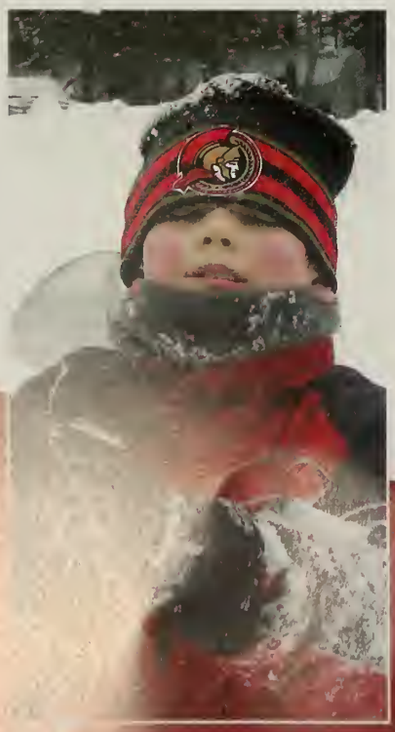
Winter Scenes



If I was the snow I would land near a sugar shack so they could pour maple syrup on me.
If I was the snow I would fall on Ottawa so I could give my friends a SNOW DAY.
If I was the snow I would turn myself into a fort and guard my house.
If I was the snow I would fall on one spot and make the tallest mountain in the world.
If I was the snow I would fly through the sky so fast that I would make holes in the planes that passed.
If I was the snow I could do whatever I wanted.

Jack Macmillan 5L



That's the Spirit!

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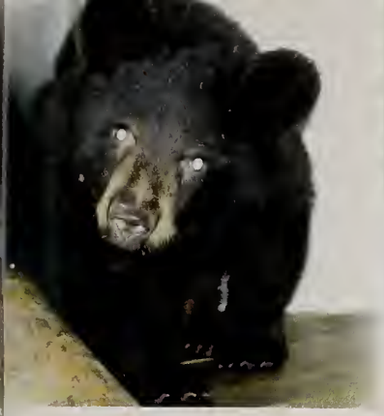
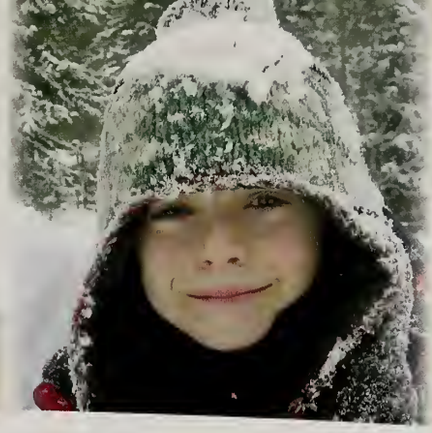
Winter Olympics

By March, the House Competition had intensified, and the quest for the Shield was on. Two afternoons were set aside for the event, and the boys participated with their usual enthusiasm. The teams for floor hockey, ice hockey, badminton, table tennis, and basketball were organized with the help of the the House Captains. After many rounds of play the winners were decided. The Goblins were the victors in the grade 4, 5, 6 category, and the Wizards won in the senior division. Congratulations to all the participants for their great display of sportsmanship and their boundless energy.

The Outdoor Experience

Our wonderful LEEDES program has grown. This year all grade seven students were invited up to the Cushings' environmental centre in Ladysmith, Quebec. This meant that everyone from grade 4 to 7 had the opportunity to mush the dogs, snowshoe up the steep side of the ridge, build quincy huts and visit with the wildlife. Of particular interest this year was the additon of the tiny black bear cub which Mrs. Cushing is rehabilitating. The House Captains survived their winter camping experience with Mr. King. (He let them sleep inside this year!) The younger students also enjoyed canoeing and hiking in their fall and spring visits.

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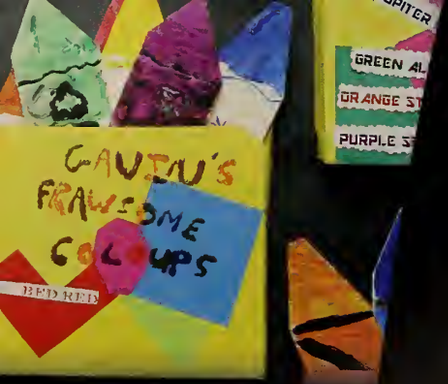
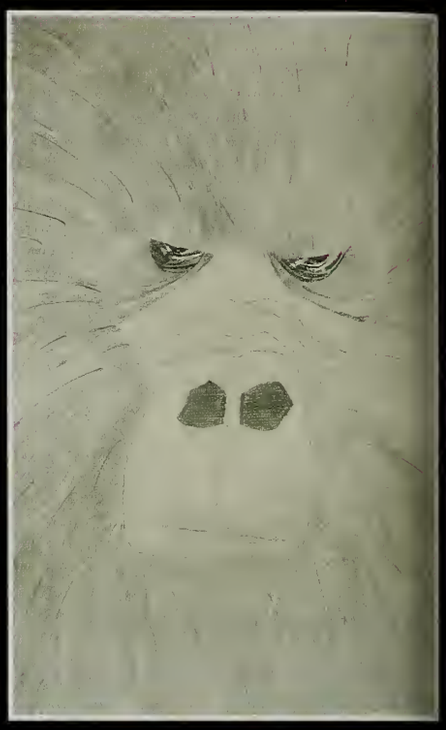




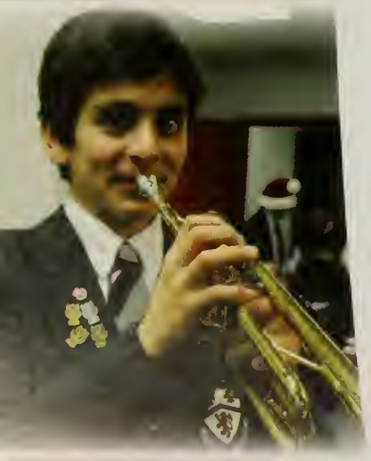
I wish that all the wars would cease
And that hunger would finally decrease
We could all take a stand
And hold each other's hand
And the world would be at peace.
Trevor Haebe 7G

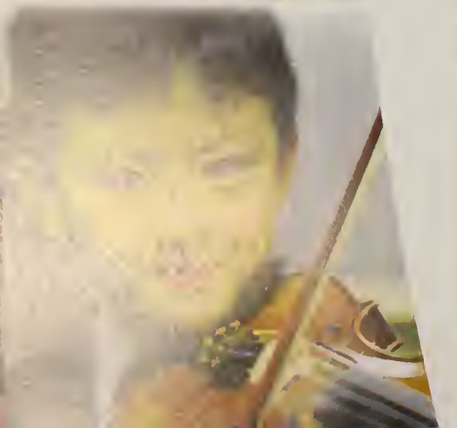
From my box I hear
The panhandlers denied again and again
And junkies groaning without a fresh shot
A door closes permanently
As the bar down the street is finished.
The outraged cries of its dubious customers
Ring through the smoggy air.
I hear the scuffling of expensive leather shoes
When rich business men go to work
Not caring whether we live or die.
I hear shouts of, "Get a job."
Or, "Suck it up,"
From people in rumbling cars
And thundering motor bikes.
I hear the footsteps of people who have neve
felt hunger
Who don't understand our pain.
I hear the sounds of poverty.
I am the sound of poverty.
Conor Assheton-Smith 6H

Music is a sensation
Rids you of your frustration
Sounds so good
Try it you should
And what an inspiration
Liam Murray 7P

Music

Under the direction of Mr. Merritt, our students are given many opportunities to showcase their musical talents. The Christmas Concert, pictured here, is just one of the times that our students performed on stage to an appreciative audience. From the beginning class of the grade four strings to the highly polished sounds of the grade eight jazz band, our students have learned to hit the right notes and have made music such a vibrant part of school life.





History

comes alive at Ashbury. Many traditions continued and new ones were added. Mr. King's grade 8 class held their annual Fathers of Confederation Debate. The grade sevens enjoyed another event-filled Greek Day. Grade six got into the spirit with their Viking attire as they conducted interviews with gods and goddesses. Grade five attended the controversial Medieval Festival at Upper Canada Village where they watched jousting, sword fighting and tried on armour.

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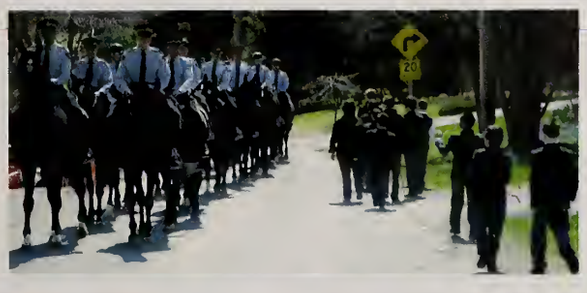
April

Ashbury College is getting even greener! Coming in the fall of 2009, our school will sport a new green roof over the existing theatre. Our Environmental Club has been working very hard and brought in some important new initiatives. Organic composting is now in place throughout the school; recycling boxes are everywhere. Thank you to Ms Young and her Green Team who have made it their priority to keep us more environmentally aware with their weekly tips and their dedication to the cause.

Mme Perreault organized a very successful International Day. As you can see our students wear their national dress with great pride.

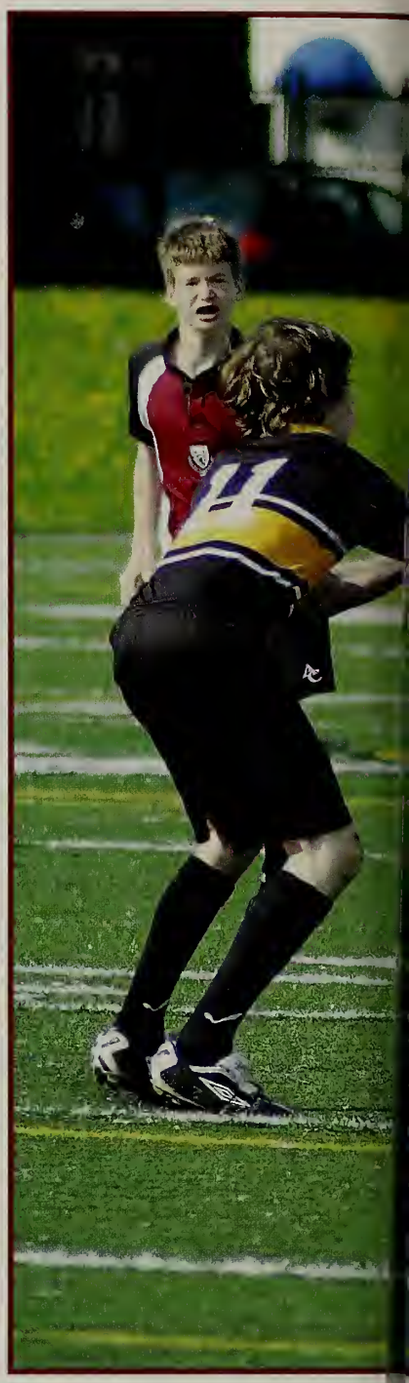


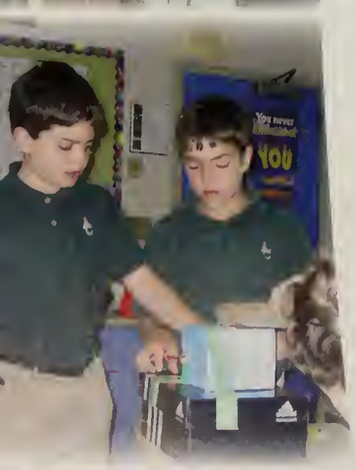
Aim High

Our basketball teams had a most successful year. The U13 had their first tournament win in November in Montreal. In February they travelled to Calgary and placed third in the CAIS national tournament. The U14 team competed against the U13 to win the OISAA league championship. The U12 and U14 teams also played host to two exciting tournaments. Rope climbing returned to Ashbury this year, and as you can see by the smiles on these pages, it was a huge success.

Rugby

This year's rugby season started with a very competitive and intense pre-season training camp with Ms Boyd. Our first tournament was at Mentor College where both Ashbury teams met in the well-anticipated championship showdown. Next, the team won its first ever GMAA 7's championship title. Victories against Hadley and in Turnbull's 15-a-side tournament soon followed. An intense inter-house competition was played between the Hobbits-Dragons and Wizards-Goblins. The 36 boys showed great skill, a tremendous work rate and true passion for the greatest game on earth.





Inquiring Minds

The Junior School boys enjoy many opportunites for hands-on science and technology activities. In-class experiments, the grade seven Science Symposium, grade eight cement boats, the grade six visit to Space Camp in Montreal, catapults, bridges and kites are just some of the opportunities made available for boys to problem-solve in the world of science.

SIMPSON
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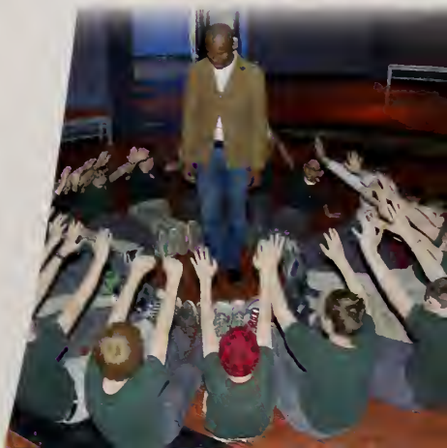

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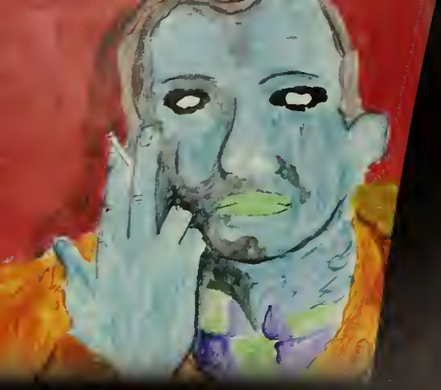
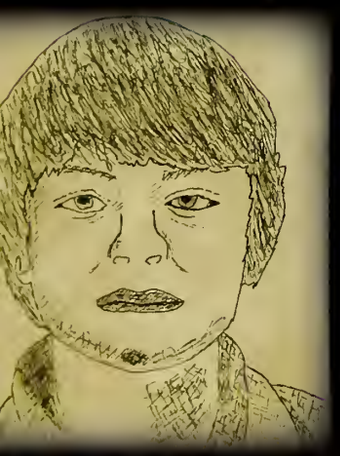
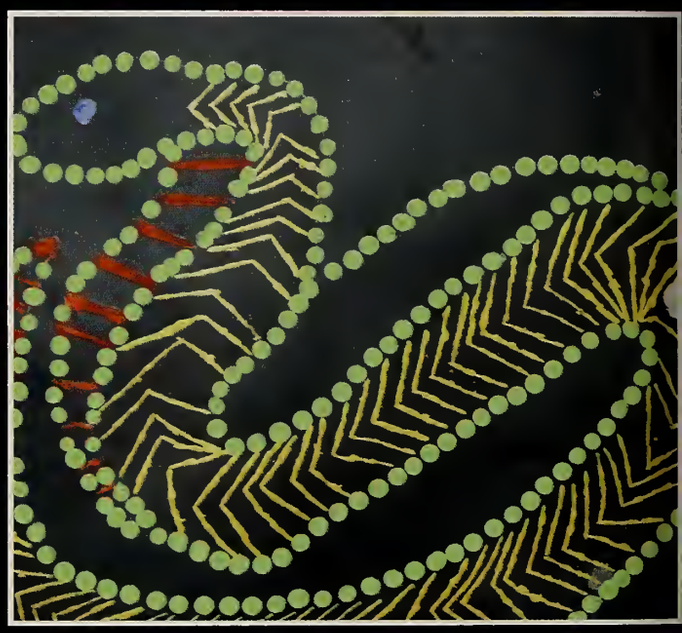
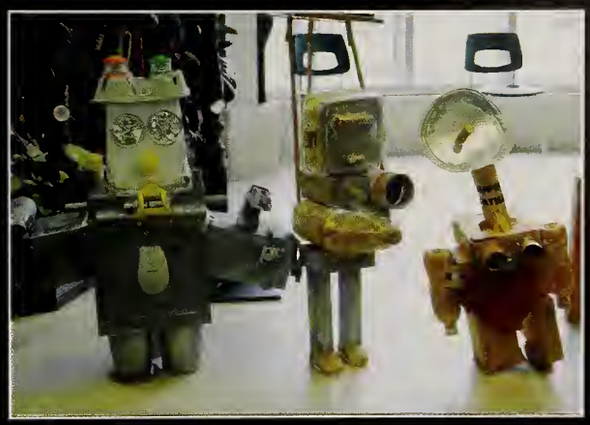




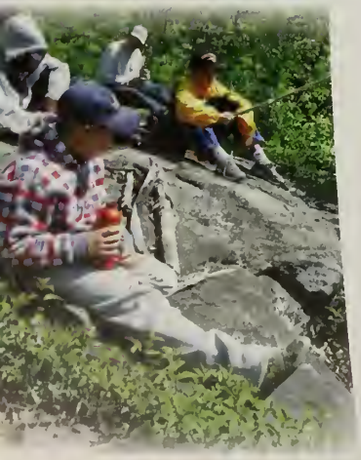
Rules of 4B
You need to know them
So listen to me
I say don't talk in a test
If you take your time it will be best
Our teacher says click it in your binder
If you do, she'll be kinder
If your desk is messy
You can't find your essay
Listen when the teacher is talking
Don't talk while walking
These are the rules of 4B
If you want to know them listen to me
Gavin Frondsham 4B





When we think of Remembrance Day
We think of poppies,
Glorious wins,
And battles
But we also think of lives stolen, families
shattered, bombs, grenades
And fear

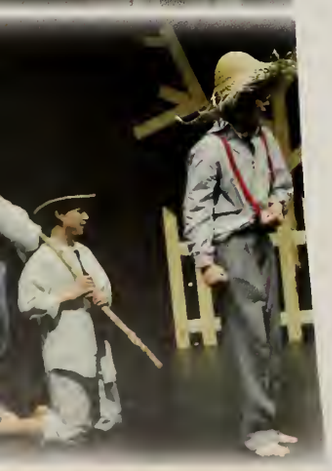
Bennett Bleeker 5L

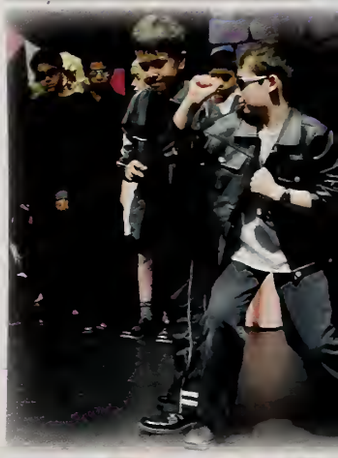


Swim meet
Puppet plays
Recess in summer dress
ISES
Nothing but fun
Great chess - we won!

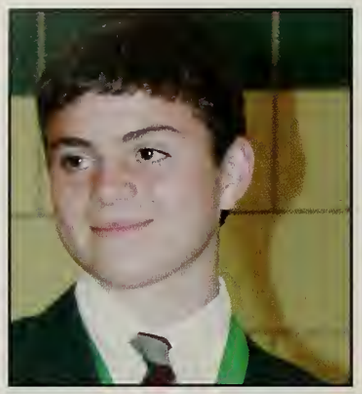
On Stage

In early May, all students in grade 5 and grade 7 showcased their talents in a delightful, fun-filled evening of musical theatre. After rehearsing many months with Mr.Merritt and Mrs. Lahey the grade 5 class enthusiatically performed "A Knight to Remember." The sevens worked with Mr. Menzies and Mr. Merritt and presented a musical version of Tom Sawyer where the roles were shared amongst the three classes. Who knew our boys could look so convincing as members of the opposite sex! Mr. Valentine helped to construct the sets that Mrs. Arbuckle designed. Mrs. Boyd kept order behind the curtain and Ms Lobb created the programs. Thanks to all the students who helped in front of house, in the lighting booth and back stage.





Athletic Awards



Contribution to Athletics

Alex Carr

Irving Casabon-Sosa

Nicholas Newport

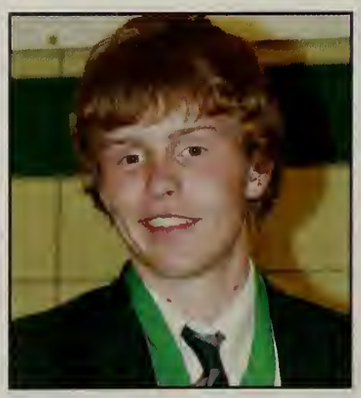
Kyle O'Hara

Vaughan Rawes

Charles St. Louis

Christian St. Louis

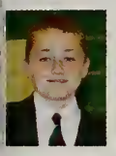
Kevin Vuckovic



Most Valuable Players

U-11 Soccer:
Jack Macmillan

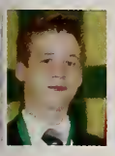
U-12 Soccer:
Parker Aimers



U-13 Soccer:
Matthew Orr

U-14 Soccer:
Jeremy Leung

U-12 Basketball:
Conor Assheton-Smith



U-13 Basketball:
Mattias Lightstone

U-14 Basketball:
Kyle O'Hara

U-13 Rugby:
Aidan Faught

U-14 Rugby:
Jacob Jammes

U-14 Rugby:
Nicholas Newport

Most Improved Players

U-11 Soccer:
Kyle Oppenheimer

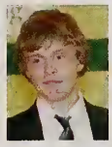
U-12 Soccer:
Marcus Saikaley

U-13 Soccer:
Andrew Abou-Assaly

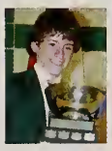
U-14 Soccer:
Kevin Vuckovic

U-12 Basketball:
Colin Zed

U-13 Basketball:
Eric Znotins



U-14 Basketball:
Christian St. Louis



U-14 Rugby:
Daniel Weinstein

Achievement Awards

Atom Division Track & Field Champion:
Cameron Kendrick

Midget Division Track & Field Champion:
William Crolla

Lincoln Newman Memorial Cup, Junior Track & Field Champion:
Julian De Montigny Grego

Alwin Cup, Senior Track & Field Champion:
Kyle O'Hara

Coaches' Trophy for Effort & Sportsmanship in Soccer:
Aidan Faught

Coaches' Trophy for Effort & Sportsmanship in Soccer:
Callum MacLeay

Track & Field

Ashbury College
HOME : GUEST
PERIOD

Academic Awards

Special Performance Awards

Brine Award for Citizenship
Nicholas Garel-Jones

Excellence in Debating:
Patrick Cameron

David Polk Sr. Memorial Award:
Michael Sklivas

Public Speaking Grades 4, 5, 6:
Anthony Li

Charles Gale Prize for Public Speaking
Andrew Abou-Assaly

Green Award Environment Club:
Justin Novick-Faille

Abinger Hill Award for Shakespeare Reading:
Nicholas Newport

Abinger Hill Award for Shakespeare Reading:
Kefir Sanders

Abinger Hill Award for Shakespeare Reading:
Eric Znotins

John Hilliard Award:
Thomas Gow

Stephen Clifford Memorial Cup:
Nicholas Lupul

The Principal's Award
Vaughan Rawes

The Woods Sheild:
Max Laurin

Benard Deslauriers Memorial Award
Callum MacLeay

The Pitfield Sheild:
Dragons

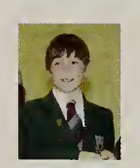
National Awards

GEO Challenge:
Alexander Cohen,
Provincial Champion,
3rd Nationally

Scholastic Challenge 2009:
Michael Sklivas,
National Winner

National Team - Gold:
Thomas Gow, Daniel Hovey,
Michael Sklivas, Nicholas Lupul

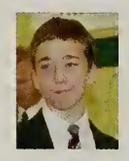
English



Grades 4, 5, 6: English Prize
Matthew Kourlas

Grade 6: MacLean Prize for Poetry
Misha Ventura

Grade 7:
Trevor Haebe



Grade 8:
Thomas Gow

French

Grades 4, 5, 6: Lise Morel Prize
Peter Nguyen

Grade 7:
Colin Malone

Grade 8:
Nicholas Lupul

Coyne Prize for Improvement
Justin Yan

Mathematics

Grades 4, 5, 6:
Misha Ventura

Grade 7:
Michael Henley

Grade 8:
Michael Sklivas

Science

Grades 4, 5, 6:
Anthony Li

Grade 7:
Hani Warith

Grade 8:
Alex Orlicki

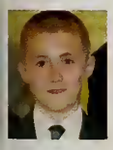
Social Studies

Grades 4, 5, 6:
Conor Assheton-Smith

Grade 7: (Eng.)
Jonathan Kamel
& Hani Warith

Grade 7:
(French)
Colin Malone

Grade 8:
(English)
Alex Cohen



Grade 8:
(French)
John Venner

Art

Grades 4, 5, 6:
Dang-Quang Truong

Grade 7:
Ole-Petter Vatne

Grade 8:
Jamie Vickers
& Justin Yan

Drama

Grade 4, 5, 6:
Bennett Bleeker

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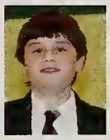
Spencer Coyne

Grade 8:
Jeremy Leung

Music

Grades 4, 5, 6:
Kerson Leong

Grades 4, 5, 6:
Anthony Li



The McLean Prize;
Grade 7:
Michael Henley

Irene Woodburn
Wright; Grade 8:
James Garel-Jones

Choir:
Eric Znotins

Libary Research Skills

Grade 7:
Hani Warith

Form Prizes

4B: Anthony Zhong
5L: Anthony Li
5L: Kyle Oppenheimer
6M: Kerson Leong
7G: Jonathan Kamel
7M: Michael Cullen
7P: Colin Malone
8B: Ryan Hartvich
8P: Thomas Gow
8S: Jeremy Leung

Guild Merit Sheilds

4B: Veraj Paruthi

5L: Bader Al Rashidi

6M: Matthew Kourlas

7G: Brendan Lucas

7M: Ryan Bickerton

7P: Colin Malone

8B: Ryan Hartvich

8P: Justin Novick-Faille

8S: Jeremy Leung

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CANADA and the WORLD

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In January 2009, after both engines fail due to ingesting birds, US Airways Flight 1549 ditches in New York's Hudson River. All 155 passengers and crew members are saved, thanks to the skill and courage of pilot Chesley B. "Sully" Sullenberger.

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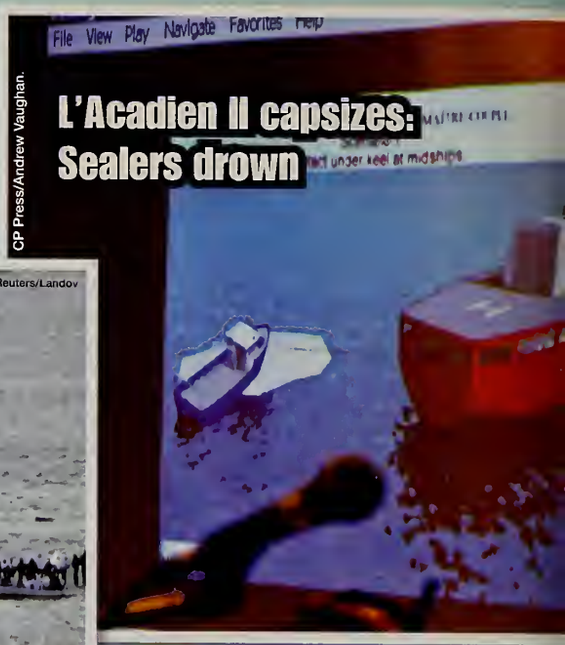
"Miracle on the Hudson"



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L'Acadien II capsizes: Sealers drown

Goodbye Debby

CP/WFP/M. Aporius.

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Government apology

CP/Mark Lennihan

CP/Winnipeg Free Press/K. Gigliotti

The Forks: World's Longest Skating Trail

AP Photo/Mike Derer

Michael McCain, President and CEO of Maple Leaf Foods launched a massive recall of his company's products which may be linked to the deadly bacterium Listeria Monocytogenes (Listeriosis). Twenty-six deaths and another 29 suspected cases across Canada are assumed to be associated with the outbreak.

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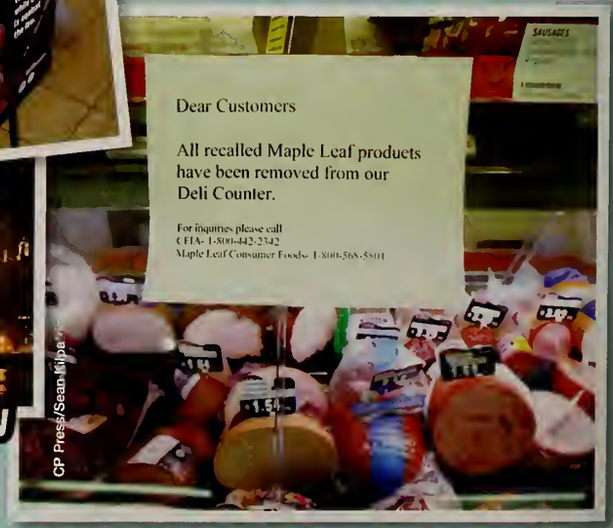
Quebec's 400th birthday



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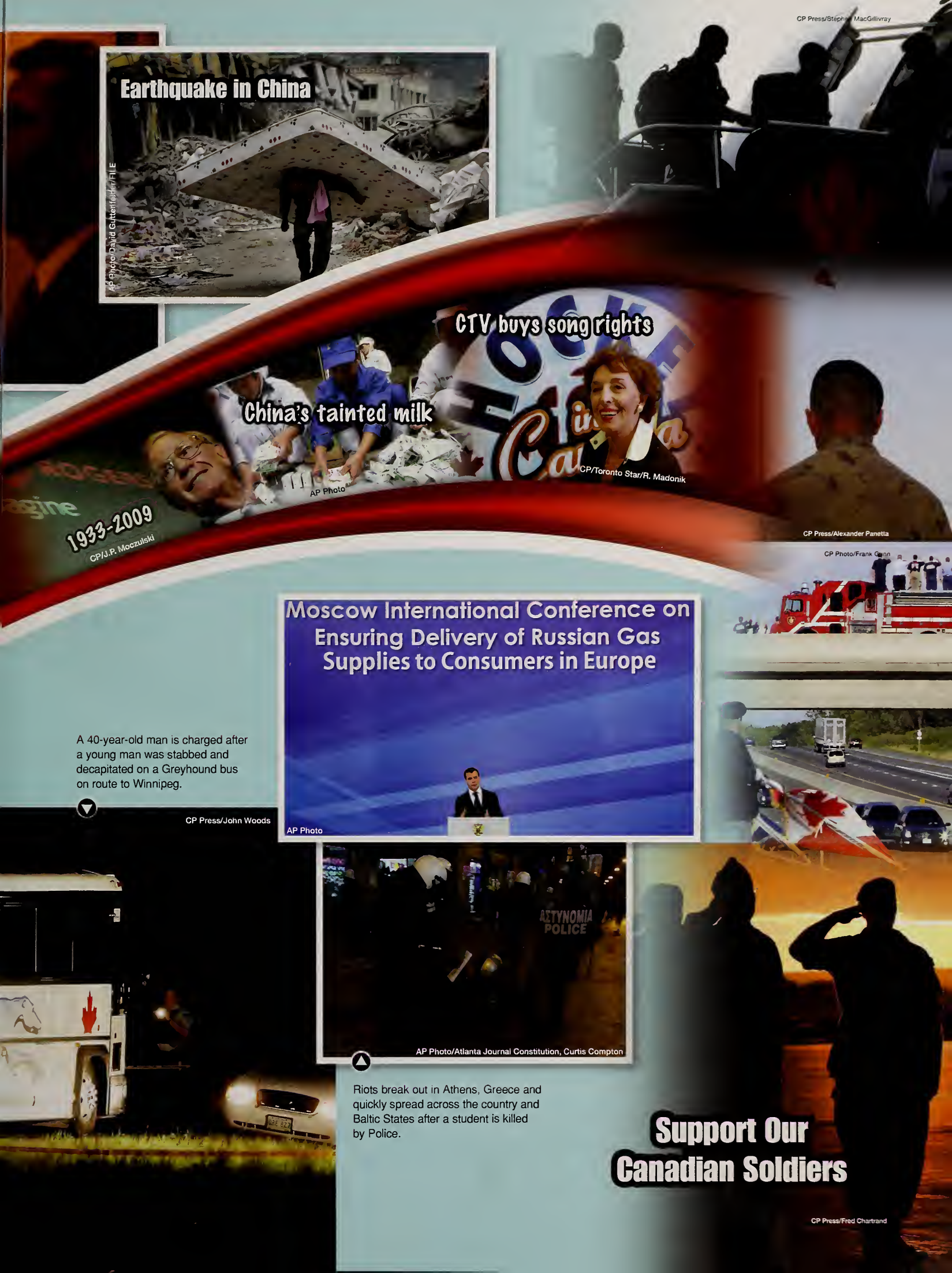
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Moscow International Conference on Ensuring Delivery of Russian Gas Supplies to Consumers in Europe
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A 40-year-old man is charged after a young man was stabbed and decapitated on a Greyhound bus on route to Winnipeg.
CP Press/John Woods
ΑΣΤΥΝΟΜΙΑ POLICE
AP Photo/Atlanta Journal Constitution, Curtis Compton
Riots break out in Athens, Greece and quickly spread across the country and Baltic States after a student is killed by Police.
Support Our Canadian Soldiers
CP Press/Fred Chartrand

2008: A Year

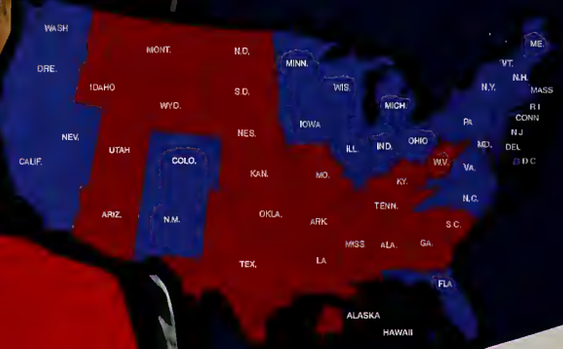
Obama Wins

Barack Obama makes history as the first African-American to win the presidency of the United States. The former Illinois senator promises an era of change that captures the imagination of the world.

REUTERS/Jason Reed/Landov

Electoral Votes

Obama	365
McCain	173



New York Times

Arizona senator, John McCain, wins the Republican nomination for president and names Alaska Governor, Sarah Palin as his running mate. Palin is the Party's first female nominee for vice president.

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Celebrations Around the World

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In Politics

Obama's Cabinet nominations

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In January 2009, president-elect Obama attends the ultimate power lunch in the White House, meeting and getting advice from President Bush as well as former Presidents George H. W. Bush, Bill Clinton and Jimmy Carter.

Getting prepared for office

KEVIN LAMARQUE/Reuters/Landov

A Second Term for Harper

CP Press/Tom Hanson

After an unprecedented constitutional drama, a federal election is called and on November 14, 2008 Stephen Harper secures a second minority government.

CP Press/Adrian Wyld

NDP leader Jack Layton, Liberal leader Stephane Dion and Bloc leader Gilles Duceppe sign a coalition in an effort to replace the minority Conservative government.

Gov. Gen. Michaëlle Jean grants Prime Minister Harper's request to suspend (prorogue) Parliament.

CP Press/Tom Hanson

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Michael Ignatieff replaces Stéphane Dion as federal leader of the Liberal Party.

CP Press/Paul Chiasson

Jean Charest becomes the first Quebec premier in more than half a century to win three consecutive mandates.

CP Press/Graham Hughes

59.1% of Canadians voted in the Federal Election, the lowest since 2004. Only 56.5% of voters cast ballots in Quebec's provincial election.

CP Press/Jake Wright

Foreign Affairs Minister Maxime Bernier resigns over a security breach involving classified NATO documents left at the home of former girlfriend, Julie Couillard.

CP Press/Adrian Wyld

Barack Obama follows a presidential tradition and heads to Canada for his first international visit.

$ Economic Crisis

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Financial markets around the world plummet and contribute to the greatest economic crisis since the Great Depression.

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Declining Markets

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The 'big three' automakers, GM, Ford and Chrysler request and are eventually offered a bailout package of over $17 billion from the U.S. and $4 billion from Canada.

CP Press/Larry MacDougal

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS

MIKE SEGAR/Reuters/Landov

Many retailers are forced to file for bankruptcy or go out of business. The number of consumer bankruptcies in Canada soared 50.6% from a year earlier. While bankruptcies were filed across the nation, Alberta was among the highest with a 106% increase in filings.

Teens work part-time

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Gas prices up and down

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In October, the loonie falls to 77.26 U.S.; it's lowest since September, 2004.

Family time increases

CP Press/St. Catherines Standard

Due to high rates of unemployment and overall hard economic times, sociologists report that families are spending more time at home, resulting in an increased quality of family life. Canadian food prices rose 7.4% in November; the largest hike since 1986.

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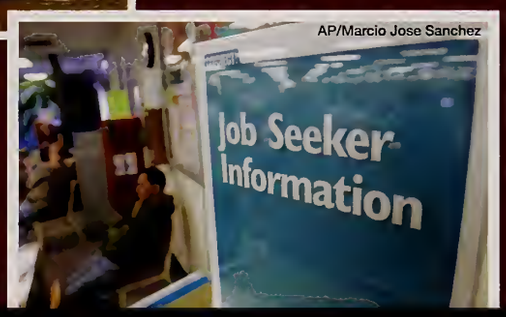

Unemployment rate hits 26-year high in January 2009

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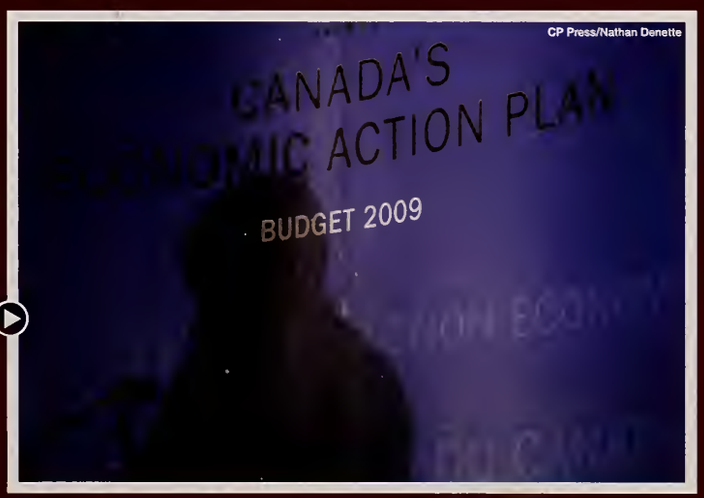

Finance Minister Jim Flaherty presented a spending blueprint that projects almost $85 billion in deficits by 2013; Canada's first deficit in 11 years.

Changing our World

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Reusable bags

Environmentally conscious consumers use items such as reusable cloth shopping bags and Klean Kanteen water bottles that don't leak harmful chemicals like BPA.

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HYBRID SYNERGY DRIVE

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What is your carbon footprint?

Press Association via AP Images

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Tight money and high gas prices push auto manufacturers to investigate super fuel-efficient and electric cars. The Chevrolet Volt is an early contender and the tiny "Smart" car is already on Canadian roads.

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Car sharing companies across Canada are becoming a popular option for environmentally-aware consumers who require periodic access to vehicles without the cost of ownership.

Chevy Volt

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In September, Google and General Electric partner to develop clean technologies. Modernizing the national electric grid to enable wider deployment of wind, solar and geothermal energy will be an early priority.

Courtesy of Apple, Inc.

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AP Photo/Cheryl Gerber

Models and Olympic athletes showcase the first-ever collection of eco-friendly apparel for Canadian athletes at the Beijing Games. Designers at the Hudson's Bay Company created the clothing with earth-friendly materials such as bamboo, organic cotton and cacona, a substance derived from coconuts.

The green cleaning movement gains momentum nationally as environmentally safe non-toxic cleaning products are used in many homes, as well as provincial and city institutions.

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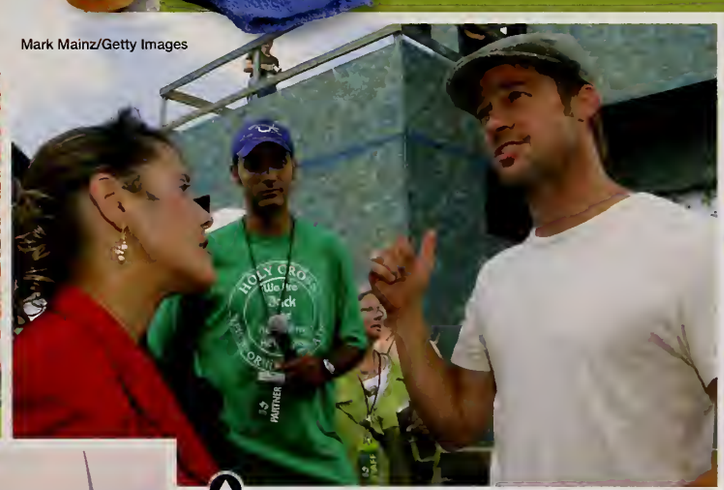
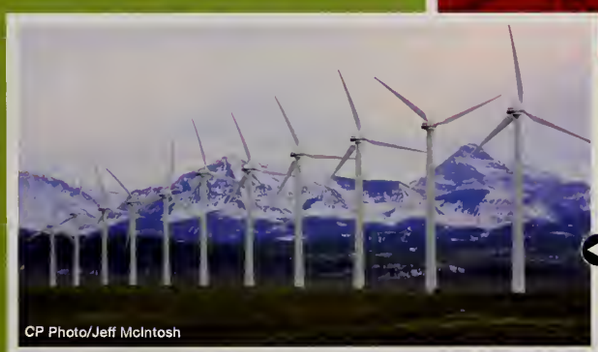


Brad Pitt launches the "Make It Right" project to build 150 green-sensitive new homes in the New Orleans Lower 9th Ward, which was destroyed by Hurricane Katrina. Pitt contributes $5 million to the project.



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There are approximately 85 wind farms currently in operation across Canada. A typical modern turbine will produce enough electricity to meet the annual needs of about 500 homes.

Summer Olympics

The Beijing 2008 Summer Olympics showcase some of the most amazing performances in Olympic history.

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American swimmer Michael Phelps makes Olympic history with eight gold medals. Phelps sets three world records in his five individual wins.

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Usain Bolt

Fastest man EVER!

Sports

The Olympic Opening Ceremony

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Tiger Woods

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Eric Lamaze

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Red Wings win 2008 Stanley Cup

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World Series

The Philadelphia Phillies win their second World Series with a five game victory over the Tampa Bay Rays.

Tom Hanson

Team Canada celebrates their 5-1 victory over Sweden. This is the 5th gold medal in a row for Canada at the IIHF World Junior championships.

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Canadian men's eight rowing team win gold at the Olympics in Beijing on August 17, 2008.

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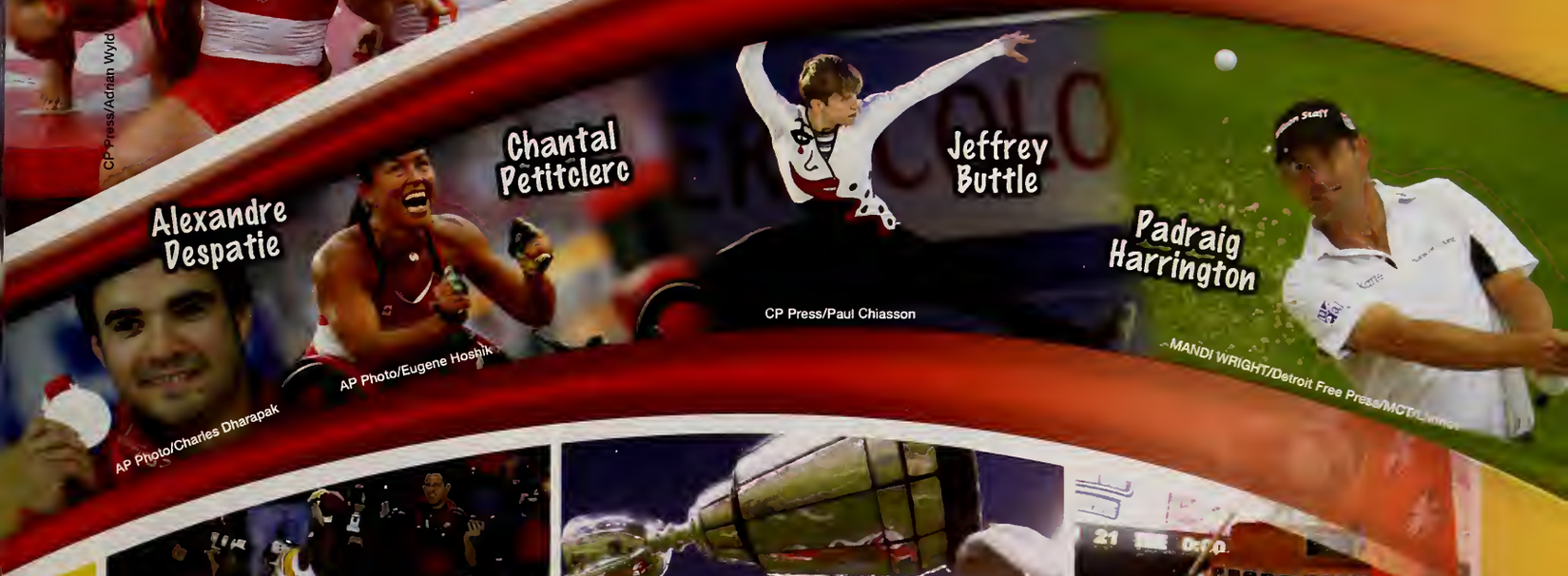
Carolyn Huynh



Alexandre Despatie

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Jeffrey Buttle

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Padraig Harrington

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Super Bowl XLIII

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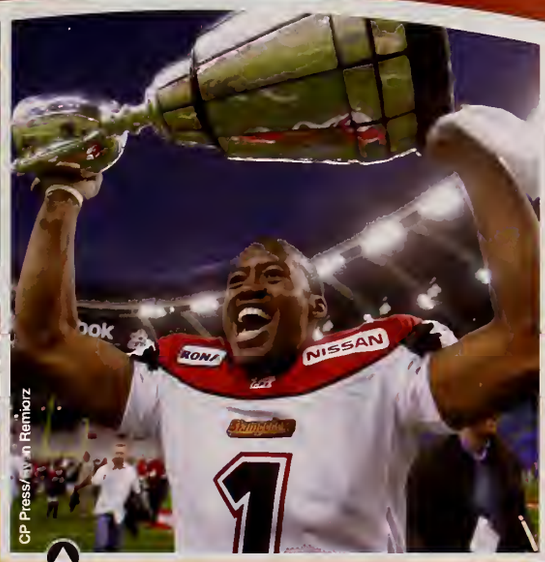
MVP Santonio Holmes makes a tip-toe catch in the corner of the end zone with 35 seconds remaining to lead the Pittsburgh Steelers past the Arizona Cardinals 27-23 in Super Bowl XLIII.



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The Calgary Stampeders celebrate their win against the Montreal Alouettes at the 96th CFL Grey Cup in Montreal.

Vanier Cup

CP Press/Dave Chidley

Team Martin defeats Scotland 6-3 at the 2008 Men's World Curling championship in Grand Forks, N.D.

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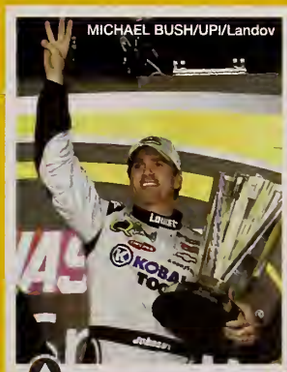
Team Jones defeats China 7-4 at the gold medal game at the Women's World Curling Championship in Vernon, B.C.



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Jimmie Johnson captures the NASCAR Sprint Cup championship for the third straight year in his famous #48 Lowe's Chevrolet Impala SS.

Boston Celtics 2008 NBA Champs

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Entertainment

Stephenie Meyer's runaway best-seller, *Twilight*, becomes a hit movie starring Robert Pattinson and Kristen Stewart as Edward and Bella.

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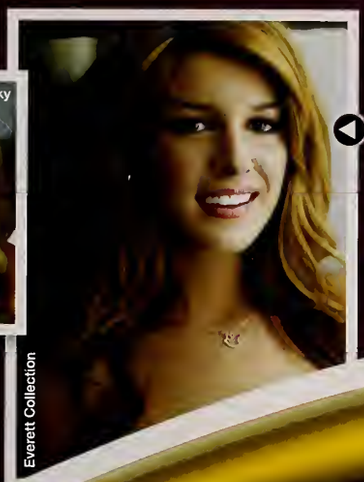
At the 81st Academy Awards, *Slumdog Millionaire*, a surprise entry from India about teen life in Mumbai wins 8 awards while Brad Pitt's *The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*, about a man who ages backwards, took two of the coveted statuettes.

MTV/Jeff Lipsky

MTV spins off the reality show *The Hills*, following *Laguna Beach* star Lauren Conrad and her friends to Los Angeles.



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Canadian actress Shenae Grimes from *Degrassi: The Next Generation* is cast in the role of Annie Wilson in *90210*.

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Australian Heath Ledger, in his last film role as the Joker in the Batman epic *The Dark Knight*, wins a posthumous Golden Globe as well, the Academy Award for Best Supporting Actor.

Paul Blart: Mall Cop

Bedtime Stories

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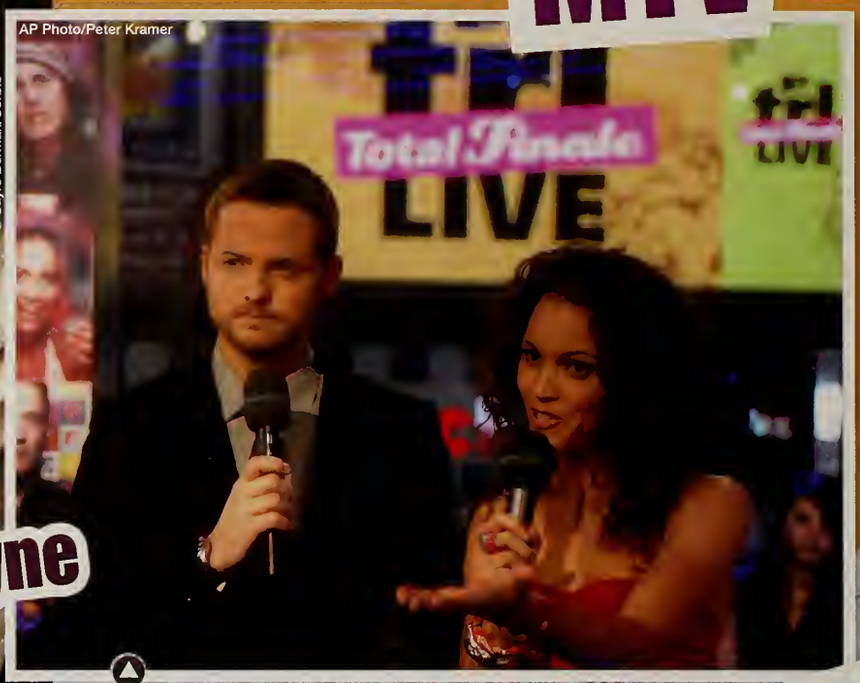
Rapper Lil' Wayne takes home four Grammies, including Rap Album of the Year for *Tha Carter III* and Best Rap Song.



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Due to low ratings, MTV's flagship show *Total Request Live* shuts down in November after a 10-year run.

Music

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Britney Spears rebounds from [illegible] personal challenges with [illegible] No. 1 album, *Circus*. She [illegible] in Nielsen [illegible] history to have four [illegible] with 500,000 [illegible]

R&B singer/songwriter Ne-Yo brings out his third album, *Year of the Gentleman*, which debuts on the *Billboard* 200 at No. 2. The album garners six Grammy nominations.

AP Photo/Peter Kramer

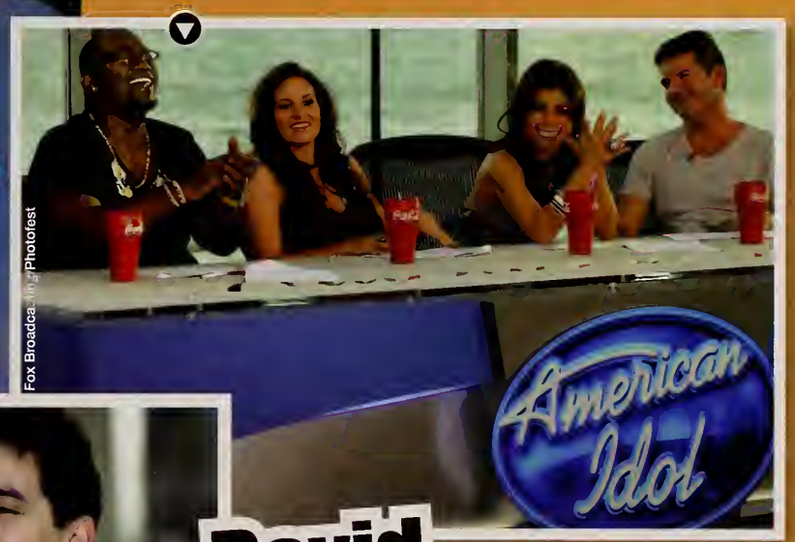
Ne-Yo

Feist wins five Juno awards including Album of the Year at the awards in Calgary on April 6, 2008.

Jessie Farrell accepts the Female Artist of the Year at the 2008 Canadian Country Music Awards in Winnipeg on September 8, 2008.

Classic Rock

Fox's *American Idol* adds a fourth judge to the popular show. Grammy-nominated songwriter Kara DioGuardi joins regular panelists Randy Jackson, Paula Abdul and Simon Cowell.



David vs. David

Rocker David Cook, with 58 percent of the fan votes, beats balladeer David Archuleta in the 2008 finals of Fox's *American Idol*.

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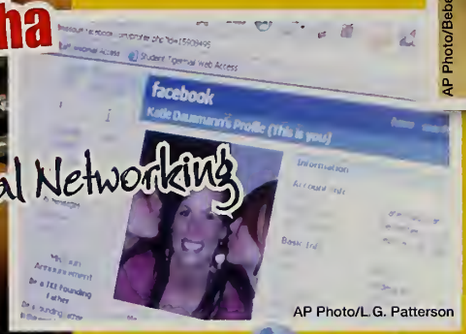
Texting becomes the new writing. Teens everywhere learn to double-thumb miniature keyboards and invent a new language of abbreviations and signs.



Social Networking

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Digital TV

The U.S. converts from analog to digital TV despite the fact that many Americans are not ready to make the switch. Canada's Office of Consumer Affairs (OCA) announces that after August 31, 2011 all analog televisions will require a converter box.

Lifestyle

Slippers to wear every day

Argyle & Plaid

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Big Sunglasses

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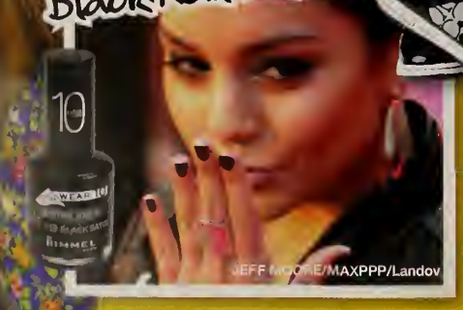
Top style trends this year include baggy pants, oversized sunglasses, designer purses, black nail polish and plaids.

Black Nail Polish



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